

## Scott Milling Company Protests Processing Tax

The Scott County Milling Company filed suit in the St. Louis federal court Monday asking a temporary writ of injunction to restrain government officials from collecting processing taxes on wheat and from prosecuting the company for violating the agricultural adjustment act, under which the taxes are paid.

The court is expected to rule on the writ within two weeks. If a temporary injunction is granted a hearing will be held later to determine if it should be made permanent. The milling company is represented by Bailey & Bailey.

In its petition, the Scott County concern stated it has paid \$633,226 in processing taxes and owes \$23,650 for May. It attacks the AAA, declaring the act unconstitutional on the grounds that congress did not have power to impose taxes for private purposes, or to control agricultural production. The petition adds that the tax is an exorbitant levy on one class of persons for the benefit of another and that it is "destructive to lawful business".

On Monday, as well, Albert M. Spradling of the Cape Girardeau law firm of Deamont, Spradling & Dalton filed for the Cape County Milling Company of Jackson a similar suit, in which it was stated that the concern has paid a \$317,130 in processing taxes and owes \$30,520. Both suits were directed against Thomas J. Sheehan, collector of internal revenue, and Harry C. Blanton, United States district attorney.

The two suits are the first to be filed by milling companies in the federal court for the state's eastern district but are very like several taken into courts throughout the country. The Washburn Crosby Milling Company, which has filed about twenty-five suits in as many courts, has been granted a temporary restraining order in one at Chicago. Temporary writs have also been granted in milling concerns in Seattle and Dallas, and at Boston, one case has been taken to the federal circuit court of appeals. It is probable that federal courts will await a decision, expected this week, before ruling on their own petition.

Millers pay a 30-cent processing tax on each bushel of wheat milled, a tax supposed to be passed on to the consumers. Internal revenue collectors send tax money to the department of Agriculture, which pays it to farmers for cooperating in the government's wheat production curtailment program.

### CITY FILES OUSTER SUIT AGAINST UTILITIES

The city's fight to gain removal of the Missouri Utilities Company will be taken into court again today when attorneys file an ouster suit in the Scott county circuit court for hearing during the August term.

The action will follow unanimous passage by councilmen May 6 of an ordinance for serving notice on the utilities to vacate Sikeston within sixty days. The sixty days ended last Friday.

The city will be represented by Roger A. Bailey and Robert A. Dempster, who will press an action first started in 1931 when the municipal light and water plant was opened. Since that time the city has been given adverse decisions by the state supreme court, the state public service commission, and the Cole county circuit court.

### SIKESTONIANS INVITED TO DEMOCRATIC RALLY

All Sikeston Democrats are invited to attend a district Democratic dinner and rally here at the Marshall hotel July 19 David E. Blanton said Tuesday. Invitations to the meeting are being sent to numerous Southeast Missouri residents.

Senator Langdon Jones, of Kennett, whose record during recent legislative sessions is enviable, will be one of the principal speakers. Major Lloyd Stark of Louisiana, noted for his fine applies as well as for his leadership in Democratic circles, will be here, said Mr. Blanton. It is probable that he will also speak.

Others invited to attend include Matthew S. Murray of Kansas City, who was recently appointed PWA administrator for Missouri. A large crowd is expected here for the rally. The dinner will begin at 7 o'clock.

### CCC CAMPER SUFFERED ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS

Ralph A. Roney of Chaffee, a member of the CCC camp near Bowling Green, Mo., was taken to Pike county hospital in Louisiana, Monday afternoon for treatment for an attack of appendicitis. After examining Roney, hospital surgeons decided an operation would be unnecessary. They expected to release him in a few days.

### CANNING PROGRAM UNDER WAY IN SCOTT COUNTY

A home canning program has been started in Scott county by eight workers and a supervisor, Miss Audrey Chaney, senior visitor for the county relief organization, said Wednesday.

Mrs. Maggie Jamieson of Tanner, county canning supervisor, gave a demonstration here Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Etta Thompson, and on Wednesday she offered instruction at Vanduser.

Canning workers are Mrs. Mae Harper for Sikeston; Mrs. Hal May for Morley; Miss Thelma Murrell for Blodgett; Mrs. Fay Lufey for Vanduser and Crowder; Mrs. Montgomery for Chaffee; Mrs. Sheffield for Ancell, Fory, and Illinois; and Miss Mary Caldwell for Commerce. A worker has also been assigned to Oran.

The workers were hired to train housewives on proper methods of canning fruits and vegetables raised in gardens made possible by the Missouri relief and reconstruction commission.

Canning will be done only in private homes of Scott county this year although about fifty community canning centers are being operated in other parts of the state this summer, Scott county had four in 1934.

### 538 Listed at Employment Office

Five hundred and thirty-eight residents of the Sikeston district listed their names with the national re-employment bureau while it was kept open here during Friday, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday. Two hundred and thirty-seven new registrations were taken; 209 re-interviews; and 92 re-registrations.

### Promoted at Scout Camp

Ben Bowman was given a first class and Shad Old a second class ranking at a court of honor held Sunday afternoon at the area Boy Scout camp in Wayne county. Fifteen second class, nine first class, three star, and eight life rankings and more than 100 merit badges were awarded to thirty-three Scouts.

### C. C. BUCHANAN'S FATHER DIES AT GOLCONDA, ILL.

J. H. Buchanan, the father of C. C. Buchanan, died Wednesday night at this home in Golconda, Ill. He was 89 years old.

C. C. Buchanan was with his father when he died, since he had gone to Golconda Monday after receiving a message that the elder Mr. Buchanan was very ill.

Mrs. C. C. Buchanan will leave this morning to attend the funeral services, which will be held this afternoon at Grand Pier, Ill. Mr. Buchanan was a well known farmer of the Golconda community. He had been inactive since his retirement several years ago. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist church.

Besides C. C. Buchanan, he is survived by nine other children: James Buchanan, Gipson, Ill., J. H. Buchanan, Lusk, Ill., Loren Buchanan, Springfield, Ill., Ulysses Buchanan, Metropolis, Ill., W. R. and Louis Buchanan, Golconda, Mrs. Albert Rector, Raum, Ill., Mrs. T. O. Butler, Pine Bluff, Ark., and a third daughter, Minnie who lives in Peoria, Ill.

### MRS. W. H. SHEWBERT OF MOREHOUSE SUCCEMBS

Mrs. Artie Missie Shewbert of Morehouse died Tuesday at the St. Francis hospital in Cape Girardeau of a complication of diseases.

Funeral services were held at the Morehouse Baptist church at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. A. C. Sullivan, pastor of the church officiating. Burial was in the city cemetery here.

Mrs. Shewbert was born in Marion, Ky., on February 17, 1872. For the last thirty years she had been a resident of Morehouse, where she was a member of the Baptist church and of the Eastern Star lodge.

She is survived by her husband, W. H. Shewbert; six sons, James, O. D., and Charles Shewbert of Sikeston, Frank and John Shewbert of Los Angeles, Calif., and Sidney Shewbert of Detroit, Mich.; and a daughter, Mrs. Ada Stubblefield of Globe, Ariz. Albritton service.

### RESIDENTS INVITED TO STATE ROAD MEETING

All persons interested in roads are invited to attend a meeting of the Citizens' Road Association, which will be held in the Rathskeller room of the Hotel Madison in Jefferson City today (Friday) beginning at 10 o'clock. Luncheon will be served at noon.

Among subjects to be discussed are the proposed use of public works funds for outlying county roads; and an economic survey including graphic charts of recent traffic counts and studies of the state planning board. Engineering school reports will be given on typical counties and officers will be elected and resolutions adopted.

### Russells to Fly to Iowa

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Russell will leave today for Muscatine, Ia., to visit Mrs. Russell's sister for a week. They will fly in Mr. Russell's airplane. When they return, Mr. Russell will open a student's training school, offering residents an opportunity to learn to fly.

## To Present Plan for Movement of Traffic

### JACK EILER BECOMES MANAGER FOR WOLF'S

Jack Eiler of St. Louis arrived here Tuesday to become manager of the Wolf Furniture Company. Mr. Eiler came to Sikeston from a position at one of the leading St. Louis furniture stores. He is well acquainted with all kinds of furniture since he has been in the furniture business for numerous years. Mr. Eiler will be glad if residents visit him at Wolf's.

### ANNUAL LEGION PICNIC WILL BE HELD SUNDAY

Members of the Henry Meldrum Post 114 of the American Legion, their wives, and their children will gather on the Castor river Sunday for an all-day picnic. The picnic grounds will be on the river a few miles south of Fredericktown, in the place used annually by Legionnaires.

### Scouts To Attend Camp

Among Scouts who will leave Sunday to attend the last week of the area camp on the St. Francis river in Wayne county are Loomis Mayfield, Lee Austin Bowman, Gene Klein, John Dover, Charles Graham Lindley, and G. C. Baker, Jr.

### BARREL OF TRASH BURNS

Firemen extinguished with a bucket of water a fire which started in a trash barrel behind the Malone drug store at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The exact origin of the fire is now known. It is thought, however, that the barrel may have contained oiled rags, ignited by the sun, or that a cigarette stub was thrown into it. The fire was the first one in Sikeston in a month.

### Fined for Reckless Driving

J. T. Berkler, an Arkansan, was fined \$10 and costs in Judge William S. Smith's court here Monday when he appeared to answer a charge of careless and reckless driving. Berkler was arrested at the intersection Sunday by Constable W. O. Ellis and Deputy Sheriff Ira Shuffitt.

The sun was such a novelty last week to Mrs. S. H. Young of Cape Girardeau, Mo., that when the rays filtered through shingles on the roof of her home, reflected on resin in the wood and caused a red glow, she thought the residence was afire and turned in an alarm.

Miss Shirley Shainberg left Tuesday for a visit with her cousin, Miss Edith Shainberg, in New Madrid. She expects to return home Sunday.

Mr. George Lee left Tuesday night for Denver, Colorado, Colorado Springs and Longmont, Colo., to spend the rest of the summer visiting relatives.

## UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED

—by "Movie Spotlight"



Definite plans for relief of traffic congestion here, particularly on Saturdays, are now being formulated by Junior Chamber of Commerce members.

The condition is now not only acute but threatens to become far worse soon they feel, if Sikeston's growth continues at its present rate.

Chamber members are still collecting data on parking space and the flow of motor car and pedestrian travel. When results have been tabulated they expect to present at council meeting suggestions for improvements and alterations of the plan now used.

On June 29, a Saturday, members discovered that 5700 cars passed the corner of Front and North New Madrid streets during a twelve-hour period from 10 a.m. until 10 p.m. Seven hundred and twenty-seven of these cars passed the corner between 8 and 9 o'clock. A count of pedestrians showed that 2239 people crossed that corner going east and west between 8 and 9 o'clock last Saturday evening. Additional motor traffic counts will be taken tomorrow.

The need of easily caring for cars and people at that corner, as well as at others on Saturdays, is great, figures show. Often traffic is halted by large groups of pedestrians crossing the street at once or by car making left turns. Meanwhile automobiles are blocked as far down Front as Kings-highway.

According to tentative plans, junior chamber members will ask the city to install automatic stop signs at the intersections of North New Madrid street with Center,

Front, and Malone, and of Kings-highway with Front and Malone for use on Saturdays. Further, they may request elimination of left turns on North New Madrid at Front and Center streets and on Kingshighway at Front during Saturdays.

Parking plans will also be submitted by chamber representatives who have been active this week measuring the amount of parking space on principal streets under the direction of their president, Kemper Bruton.

Their findings are briefly these: nine feet driving space would be added to North New Madrid between Front and Center if forty-five-degree-angle parking were replaced by parallel parking; only six fewer cars could be parked on the street under the new plan, a negligible amount when the street would be materially widened and danger at the Front street intersection eliminated by improved visibility north. About forty more cars could be parked on Front street between Kings-highway and Scott street if parallel parking were permitted on both sides; three feet of driving space would be added to the street.

Junior chamber members began a drive to improve traffic conditions by securing permission for use of two Center street lots for parking. Although these spaces are used they are not large enough to relieve existing conditions. Consequently the junior chamber may ask the city to seek the use of two large, vacant lots, both only a block from the business district, one on South Kingshighway and a second on West Front street.

## Two Will Be Hanged For Robbery Murder

Death sentences for Roy E. Hamilton and Dave Eddy, alias, Dave Gayman, who confessed killing Arthur Cashion at a New Madrid filling station on Christmas eve, 1933, were affirmed Thursday by the state supreme court. August 16 was set as the date for execution.

After the opinion was learned and before Gayman and Hamilton were told, officers took the two prisoners to Poplar Bluff where they will probably be kept until the time of the execution. A double scaffold will be built in the New Madrid jail yard for the

county's first hanging in between twenty-five and thirty years.

Gayman and Hamilton pled guilty in circuit court on January 14, 1934, soon after they were arrested at Zalma, but after the date for their hanging had been set for March 3, attorneys requested that the pleas be set aside. This the court refused to do. The supreme court considered the case on an appeal.

The two prisoners have been certain that their appeal would be granted, officers said. Gayman had previously served one term in a federal prison and Hamilton three terms in penitentiaries.

## Pairings Made for Men's City Tennis Tournament

Pairings for the first round of the senior and junior men's tennis singles were announced Thursday by Tharon E. Stallings, chairman of the Junior Chamber of Commerce athletic committee which will sponsor a citywide tournament. The deadline for entrance was Wednesday evening.

Each of the two players bracketed together will be given cards; on which they will write the first game winner's name before leaving them with Jack Lancaster at the H. & L. drug store, where cards may now be secured.

All first round games must be played by July 20 and all second round matches by July 25. The dates for semi-finals and finals will be announced later. Finals will probably be run off some Sunday afternoon.

Courts on which tournament matches may be played belong to Ross Killgore, Frank W. Van Horne, and Mrs. Sam Bowman. Drawings for doubles games will be made as soon as junior Chamber members determine the exact number of entrants in that division of the contest. No women's tournament will be held unless three more enter to make the total number of contestants eight.

Pairings are printed below, first for the senior division and second for the junior.

F. W. Van Horne vs. Billy Keith; D. E. Gasche vs. Kemper Bruton; David Blanton vs. C. D. Matthews, III; Ross Killgore vs. Carl Ross; W. L. Hughes vs. Ewart Taylor; Bob Nicholson vs. H. G. Sharp; winner to play W. E. Mahew; Bob Dempster vs. T. E. Stallings; Elbert Morrow vs. John Sikes.

Charles McMullin vs. Ward Billy Golladay; George Bartlett Denman; Bob Montgomery vs. Billy Golladay; George Bartlett vs. Bill Van Horne; Clint Denman vs. Kenneth Hocker; H. W. Lowe vs. Clarence Salkil; John F. Wood vs. Edward Allard; Tommie Marshall vs. Merlin Taylor; Billy Donnell vs. Z. W. Killgore—winner to play Sam Bowman.

Former Gov. Al Smith believes he is the champion godfather of the United States. He counted up last week and discovered that he has thus officiated 30 times.

When the will of Miss Martha W. Becker of Riverhead, L. I., was read last week, it set aside a fund of \$2000 for the care of her pet daschund, Racker, which need have no future worries as to biscuits and bones.

**Files Divorce Suit**  
A suit for divorce was filed in the circuit court yesterday by Elmo Matthews against Ella Matthews. Mr. Matthews charges desertion. The case will be heard during the August term.

**Two Given Highway Jobs**  
John Wilson and Charles Allen Cook began working for the state highway department Thursday.

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John D. Rockefeller has lived to be 96 years old, and still lives. We can remember when he was the most discussed, and cursed man in the United States. In spite of these facts he has given away and spent for worthwhile things eight hundred million dollars. Dollars garnered a penny at a time that came in streams. Rockefeller Institute, financed by him for research work to combat disease, is the greatest institution of the kind in the world and surpasses that of the National Government itself. Perhaps sometime in his early life he did squeeze out opposition, the price set on his kerosene and gas has always been within reach of all. May he live to be a hundred.

They say there are worse things than death, and if so, one of them is to be served chicken necks, backs and gizzards the day after a big party.

Frank Litchford is 6 feet and an inch or two, strong and husky but it took his wife less than thirty days after marriage to break him to do crocheting, and he seemed to be doing a fair job when caught with the hoops.

David Fields, 60 and blind, is an inmate of the infirmary at Evansville, Ind. His next cot neighbor is Richard Barrett, 65, and with only one leg. They got into an argument over ownership of a plot of ground and before they could be separate Fields had been slashed with a knife before he knocked Barrett down. Curiously, neither claimed ownership of the disputed ground.

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## Persistence of Small Groups Caused Growth of Christian Church

The Christian church originated and then prospered in the United States at about the beginning of the nineteenth century, when a wave of religious awakening spread throughout the country. No church was completely established here, however, until 1906. The advent of the Christian church came about at a time when numerous other groups separated from older protestant organizations. At very nearly the same time, Elder B. W. Stone of Kentucky and Elders Alexander and Thomas Campbell of Pennsylvania rose up to call for a return to "primitive Christianity." It was their activities which brought about the foundation of the order at first known as Stonites, Campbellites, and Disciples of Christ.

The original purpose of these three elders was to heal divisions in the religious world and to establish a common basis of Christian union. This was to be accomplished by accepting the expressed teachings of the Bible as the only creed. It was soon found, however, that the interpretation of these teachings could not be determined by individuals and so the doctrines of baptism by immersion and baptism for the remission of sins became the distinguishing features of the new sect.

The first teacher of the Christian church doctrines in Missouri was the Rev. William McMurry, a carpenter who came from Virginia and settled in Madison county in 1819. With three members he established a church in a log schoolhouse in 1822, at what was later Libertyville, but at the end of four years he had increased his membership only to nine. Likewise, the church gained a foothold in Southeast Missouri only very slowly, and until 1875 there were only four churches in the district: one three miles east of Fredericktown; one in Ste. Genevieve county in the New Tennessee settlement; a third at Farmington; and the fourth at Libertyville. Ten years later, a few churches were scattered over the district. Most of them were in the northern part, but there were congregations at Malden, Dexter, and Poplar Bluff.

When Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bruton came here in 1904, they found that Sikeston had no Christian church. Only three church buildings were here then: the Methodist on the corner of Center and North New Madrid streets; the

St. Francis Xavier on the corner of Stoddard and Front streets; and the Baptist on South Kings-highway.

Mr. Bruton gives credit for formation of the church to Mrs. Ella Osborn, a sister of Reece Applegate, Mrs. Bruton and Mrs. Towns Burns, but particularly to Mrs. Osborn. Mr. Bruton was himself unusually active during the strengthening of the congregation.

For a time, the very few Christians living here met in one another's homes for communion. Usually, however, they gathered at the Bruton residence, then near town. Mr. Bruton served as minister, elder and deacon for the small congregation.

Soon, the Rev. Horace Sidrell, a Christian church pastor of Cape Girardeau, came here to organize the Sikeston group, which consisted of twelve members, ten of them women. Mr. Bruton, and George Evans, a brother of Mrs. Albert Wylie, were the only men. The organization meeting was held in the old Baptist church.

When R. E. Bailey moved here with his family from Bloomfield and the E. A. Lawrences came to operate the Marshall hotel, the congregation was happily augmented in number and in spirit. Abandoning homes for services, members met for services in the city hall and in the old Kendall opera house. But charter members remembered Mrs. Osborn's unceasing efforts to establish the church here, her energy encouraging others when they became weary and discouraged. Now they decided to build a church of their own.

On a lot—the present one at the corner of Trotter and South New Madrid streets—given them by Mrs. Jennie Green, a daughter of Mrs. Catherine Sikes Handy, members managed to erect a one-story tabernacle directly behind the site of the present church building.

The tabernacle was constructed in 1907. A basement for a permanent church structure was started in 1909, but work on the upper part was not begun until 1914, while the Rev. V. B. Lockhart was pastor. The cornerstone was laid in March, 1914, during a sleet and snow storm. At the time, the present Methodist church was standing, but Baptists were finding difficulty in constructing their present church. Residents discouraged the Christians, saying Sikeston was too

small to support two churches. Members of the congregation persisted, however, continuing construction work and seeing after the church was finished, completion of the Baptist church as well. When the new building was dedicated on June 20, 1915. The Rev. Clarence Burton and the Rev. S. P. Brite adjourned services at the Methodist and Baptist churches so that all residents might join the forty Christian church members at the dedication. Services began at the Sunday school hour under the direction of R. E. Bailey, then superintendent. The dedicatory service was held at 11:30 in the morning; fraternal and memorial services in the afternoon; and additional services of praise and thanksgiving at night. Among the speakers were the Rev. George L. Sniveley, the Rev. Mr. Lockhart and Sikeston ministers, the Rev. Mr. Burton sang, accompanied by Mrs. H. J. Welsh.

Only three of the original members, Mr. and Mrs. Bruton and Mrs. Osborn, were present that day. Tribute was paid to Mrs. Catherine Handy for a gift of the lot and to Reece Applegate for his helpful influence not only in the Methodist church, of which he was a member, but throughout the town. At the morning services members of the Ladies' Aid society pledged \$1000 and at the afternoon and evening meetings \$140 was donated, making a sum large enough to pay the church debt and leave a small surplus.

The Rev. I. H. Fuller was pastor when the church was completed. The Rev. R. M. Talbert of Cape Girardeau has been minister here four years, coming after the Rev. E. B. Hensley and the Rev. J. B. Houston. The church now has a membership of 160 and has had no debts for many years. From it have branched groups which later formed the Lutheran and the Presbyterian churches and the Church of the Nazarene.

## FAMOUS MUSICAL HIT, "SUNNY" OFFERED BY MUNICIPAL OPERA

St. Louis, Mo., July 8—"Sunny" a sensational successful musical play, which ran in New York for more than 500 consecutive performances, will be presented for the first time by the Municipal Opera beginning Monday night, July 15th.

A huge show full of tunes, "Sunny" is in two acts. The music is by Jerome Kern, outstanding musical composer, and the book and lyrics are by two well-known theatrical celebrities, Otto Harbach and Oscar Hammerstein II. The play was first produced by Charles Dillingham at the New Amsterdam Theatre, New York, on September 22, 1925.

A brilliant array of Municipal Opera favorites will appear in the cast for "Sunny." Gil Lamb, whose pantomime dancing was distinctive in "Madame Sherry," the Municipal Opera's third week presentation this summer, will return to play the important comedy part of Jim Deering. The late Jack Donohue made the role famous on the New York stage. Lamb has been classed as Donohue's successor.

The name part of "Sunny" will be taken by Marjorie Peterson, whose splendid dancing and acting as Constance Lane in the sparkling musical hit, "Good News" two weeks ago, met with instantaneous approval by the opera goers. Opposite her again will appear Jerry Goff, the handsome young leading man with an excellent barytone voice. Goff will take the principal male lead of Jim Deering.

Gertrude Niesen will appear in the part of Magnolia, while Audrey Christie will take the leading feminine comedy part of "Weenie" Winters. Others to appear in principal parts are John Sheehan, Jane Seymour, Charles Gallagher, Shelia Dille, Roy Gordon, Una Val, Duke McHale, Al Downing, Earle MacVeigh, Victor Casmore and Marion Huntley.

"Sunny" is the story of a little English circus girl, Sunny Peters, a popular bare-back rider. In the days of the great war, Sunny had served as a Red Cross nurse in France and there, with the American troops, she had nursed back to health Tom Warren, a young American officer. They meet again when Warren and his fellow members of the American Legion revisit the battle fields. When her father wants her to marry a man she does not love, Sunny runs away from the circus. She is a stowaway on steamship headed for America with Warren and his friends aboard. Her father also is found on the boat. From then on there is romance, love and comedy.

The song, "Who," which swept the country for a long time and even today is frequently heard on radio and dance programs, originated in "Sunny." Among other catchy tunes in the musical play are "Do You Love Me" and "Two Little Blue Birds."

Following "Sunny," Municipal Opera presents the American premiere of the operetta, "The Beloved Rouge," with music by

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## PET MILK COMPANY FIFTY YEARS OLD

Fifty years ago a man came from Switzerland to a little Swiss settlement near St. Louis, Missouri, and told the people there that he had a method of concentrating pure fresh milk, putting it in sealed cans and heating it so that it would keep fresh and sweet indefinitely. A small company was formed to carry out the plans which the man from Switzerland proposed. This was the beginning of the Pet Milk Company.

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The destinies of the company are controlled by its originators or their descendants. The president, John A. Latzer, is son of the founder.

## NEGRO IS KILLED NEAR MARSTON

A shooting match between two negroes at 'Moccasin Hollow' on the Fourth of July, resulted fatally for a negro preacher, named J. E. Bradford.

It appears that Bradford was a share tenant of one "Poor Boy" Sweet, and had been promised the use of a mule to plow his cotton, but Sweet needed the mule at the time in his own crop. Bradford came with his shot gun to enforce the agreement and was met at the shot at Sweet and Sweet took a door by Sweet. Bradford took a shot at Bradford. Result, Bradford is a dead preacher. Sweet fearing reprisal promptly decamped. He might have been exonerated by a coroner's jury but he considered "it is no disgrace to run when you are scared."—Lilbourn Banner.

## SOFTBALL SCORES Monday, July 8

Sikeston All-Star, 12; Chaffee, 8.  
The Sikeston team was composed of these men: Kindred and Red Dace of the Sikes Team; Sheldon, Page, Swaim, and Jones, H. & L.; Mitchell, Malone, and Mahew, Lions; Laws, Bandy and Earls, Buckner-Ragsdale; Tandy and Melvin Dace Highway; Greer, Midwest; Crain, Guard; Hudson, Legion.

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**Steeleville Flood of 1898**  
Early in the morning of July 8, 1898, thirty-seven years ago this week, the town of Steeleville, the county seat of Crawford county, was devastated by a severe cloudburst and flood. Passing through the center of Crawford county from the Phelps county line on the west, the storm left death and destruction in its path. Thirteen lives were lost; sixty-three homes were demolished; business houses and public buildings were swept away; seven miles of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad tracks were washed out; and the amount of property destroyed was estimated at \$500,000.

So terrific was the current of the flood that homes and storehouses were swept away as the made of straw. The few store buildings remaining held stocks of goods damaged by the heavy down-pour and by the mud and debris left standing after the water had receded. The Ferguson Hardware Store, the largest and most complete in the district, was entirely swept away, and it was reported that wagons, hay-rakes, mowing machines, and other odds and ends of farming implements were scattered for miles along

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**CHAPTER 6  
WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE**

Jean Valjean, fugitive from the French authorities and one Javert in particular, plans to escape once and for all to England. His plans are interrupted by a student's law reform revolt which sweeps over the entire city. He attempts to rescue its ring-leader, young Marius, in love with his ward, Cosette. Javert appears on the scene, decides Jean is the "man higher up," senses his opportunity to right all previous humiliations and goes after him with a vengeance.

**Free at Last**

Jean and Eponine come out. They are in the light for a brief second as they look around cautiously. Javert has the house spotted from an opposite window.

"Valjean! To a gendarme. 'Come on—follow—that's the man I want.' As they start off, two students fighting with a gendarme emerge from a doorway. Instinctively the gendarme with Javert stops to aid his comrade and Javert goes on alone.

Through narrow streets around dark corners and then up a dozen or so stone steps rush Jean and Eponine.

"Quick! He's following us—get up the stairs—we're there!" gasps Eponine.

Javert arrives just as they disappear into the building. He fires with a command to "Stop!"

The street where Marius and his companions are barricaded is a blind alley. A house nearby is afire and over the barricade of doors, paving

Jean batters through the steel gate that bars them from the river and they pass through.

Through dark alleys they wind their way back to Jean's house in the Rue Drouot. Cosette, on her knees before a small altar, rises and comes forward to Marius eagerly. For a moment it looks as though she has forgotten everything Jean has done.

Jean closes the door on them and backs into the hall. He senses the presence of another person.

"Javert! You're here, I know it—where are you?"

A shadowy form moves and Javert steps out into the light.

"I'm ready. All I ask is a few moments to say goodbye."

"The law allows you nothing."

Jean raises his head to Javert, a face so agonized helpless and hopeless that even Javert is moved. He nods slowly. He knows this man has saved his life but still he can't help himself.

"It's not I—it's the law that wants you—the law. I can't help myself. (ashamed of his weakness) 'Go ahead, I'll wait.'"

Jean goes in. "Cosette, I've come to say goodbye. It has to be—there are reasons. My dear, what little I could I have done—in my poor, stupid way I have tried to do what I could. Now I give her to you (to Marius)—let her be as precious to you as she has been to me. Look after her, Cosette. Look after her."

His face is bathed in perspiration from the struggle going on within him. He turns, looks back and takes down the two candlesticks which he has kept with him all this time.

"Keep these always. He fingers them. 'Silver, they say—but more than gold to me.'"

Cosette kisses him and clings to



stones, etc., the defenders are firing. One by one the defenders are strewn about the streets.

Javert is caught in the dead-end passage when a student steps behind him. Joined by others, breathless, dishevelled, they bar the way.

"Police! Spy!" is the warning cry. "Spy, possibly, police, certainly," is Javert's calm reply.

"Ha! We've got one of them. The guillotine will run here and now!" shouts one, fingering a wicked-looking blade.

"He's Mine!"

"Let me. This man has persecuted me for ten years—he's mine!" It's Jean's voice.

"Do it then!" The knife is thrust into his hand.

"I'll do it as it was done in the galleries—the pistol in the mouth."

Cries in the distance attract the others and they rush off, leaving Jean and Javert alone. Jean turns to his old enemy, his thoughts flooded with revenge.

"Now, Javert, the hunt ends."

"End it then?"

"It had to be one of us. You hounded me; you pursued me—it's you who drive me to this—you and your law!"

"Do your part. I've done mine. I stand by everything I've done. I take what comes."

Jean can't bring himself to do it. There is a terrific struggle going on within him. He shakes his head.

"Go, before the others do what I can't."

"You fool, you know what'll happen. I shall take you in the end. You know I will—you know I must. I can't help myself—I am what I am."

"I take what comes. Go!"

Jean remains looking after Javert then fires the pistol into the air. He returns to the barricade. Eponine tries to pull him down from his exposed position and herself falls dead.

Mounted gendarmes begin to attack with drawn sabres. There is a scuffle. Marius is felled with a blow on the head. Jean pulls him down through a half-open manhole into the sewers, picks up the unconscious boy and staggers along down the tunnel in water up to his knees. Marius comes to enough to nod to Jean and flounder along himself.

him, overcome with emotion. He moves over to Marius with her.

"Love each other—there's scarcely anything more in the world but that. Remember, as was once told me—Life is to give, not to take. What I give—take, and give again."

The door creaks and he is gone. It is over. He has given up Cosette and now he has to face the other—the galleys. He tries to move to the door to the street, but his strength cracks and he drops to one knee.

"Father of all—I've done what I could—take what you will—I've given all I can—I'm ready!"

With a great effort he rises and marches towards the open doorway to the street, his hands in front of him, his wrists drawn together to receive Javert's handcuffs, his eyes, half-closed, replying in a whisper the word "Give!"

**Javert Disappears**

But there is no Javert. The moonlit street beyond is empty. To Jean it is unbelievable — Javert is gone. He has left him. We can almost hear the voice of the old bishop over the scene. "Well done, my son. Well done!"

His eyes go up to the heavens—to the voice—his face lights up with a smile as if the whole soul were lifted—at last he is free.

Excited cries ring "Down here! Down here! Hurry!" snap him out of his trance. Through a narrow opening in the street opposite is an alley leading to the river. There is a small crowd gathered—others are coming up.

Jean pulls himself together and as if drawn by a magnet races to the scene.

"What is it?"

"Suicide—must be—"

"I tried to stop him," adds another onlooker, "but he pushed me away and jumped in—The river's in flood."

Still another, "Look! It's a policeman's cloak—"

A gendarme takes it and looks it over. Jean immediately recognizes it as Javert's. He turns and looks at the river. The water is swirling past. He now realizes that Javert has left him for good. He is free, indeed—free to go back to Cosette and Marius.

THE END

the river bank. The best and most used law library in the county, belonging to Judge A. U. Farrow, was completely destroyed.

Streets were blocked with walls of houses, fences, trees, and shrubs, and great holes were washed in streets, lawns, and lots.

Household goods, not wrecked or destroyed by falling walls and houses, were ruined by floods of water, sand and mud. Many of the citizens had narrow escapes from death, and were rescued hours afterward from trees in which they had sought refuge.

Railroad and telegraph lines were completely cut off, and for two weeks the stricken town was unable to make an appeal for aid

outside the immediate neighborhood, where all had suffered loss in some form. Those citizens in a position to help the less fortunate

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of their neighbors generously shared their resources, but in the two weeks time nearly all available food was gone and the town was in a paralyzed condition. Illness and fever became prevalent and the towns-people were in as great danger from disease as they had been two weeks before from the flood.

The first appeal for outside aid was made to Governor Lon V. Stephens, and his response in the form of a proclamation to the people of Missouri brought assistance not only from the surrounding counties but from the entire state.

Relief organizations were formed, and lodges and organizations in towns and cities generously contributed to the relief of Steeleville. Before the month was over, Steeleville was slowly and painfully recovering. Business houses were refinanced and re-stocked; homes were re-built; and as far as possible, activities were resumed where they had been so abruptly halted a few weeks before.

Work was begun on the railroad immediately, but was soon discontinued as the officials decided to build the new road along the ridge route where future danger of floods would be less imminent.

Today, the town of Steeleville is again a thriving Missouri town, located in the heart of Crawford county—a county of good roads, many beautiful streams well stocked with fish, and the Onanaga cave, the "Mammoth Cave of Missouri". Luxuriant grasses furnish excellent dairying advantages. Here also stock raising is carried on extensively, some of Missouri's prize-winning herds of sheep and cattle are produced in Crawford county, and fruit-growing and "truck" farming are extensively followed.

**TO HAVE PRELIMINARY ON MURDER CHARGES**

The arrest of Bud Greece in Danville, Ill., this week brought the total number of men suspected of murdering E. P. McCutcheon at Bird's Mill July 3 to four.

Others are C. V. Williams, a Charleston insurance agent who issued two \$2500 insurance policies to McCutcheon; Albert Vowels of Wyatt, operator of a store in which McCutcheon was last seen by witnesses the day of the murder; and Big John Brightman, a Wyatt negro who was in the store with Vowels and McCutcheon.

Vowels and Williams are now free on bonds of \$1000 each and Greece and Brightman are in jail. They are all scheduled to have preliminary hearings Tuesday on charges of murder and conspiracy.

McCutcheon was killed, it is thought so that money could be collected on his insurance policies, both of which named McCutcheon's estate as beneficiary.

Five reliable people have stated they were offered \$700 to kill McCutcheon, Sheriff J. O. King said. Mrs. McCutcheon told officers her husband feared he might be killed after he had taken out one of the policies. King said the four men implicated allegedly contributed \$200 to pay back premiums on the policies before the murder.

Mrs. J. R. McCausland of Pittsburg writes: "I took off 8 lbs. in two weeks with Kruschen. I ate as usual and feel fine." You, too, can safely reduce as Mrs. McCausland did if you'll only have a mind of your own. Pay no attention to gossipers who would not want to see you the slender woman you can be if you'll only take a half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a cup of hot water every morning. Tastes fine with juice of half lemon added.

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Dorothy Smith of Muskegon, Mich., is 11 years old and has kept her broken bone average

even with her years. Afflicted with bones that snap under the slightest strain, she has been recuperating from fractured legs, ankles and arms ever since she was four days old, when her right leg was broken.

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Geo. Gray, of Vienna, Ill., was a Sikeston visitor Wednesday and in company with Judge Carter paid The Standard office a short visit. He has been engaged as manager to put on the Caruthersville Fair again this year and save the directors a lot of time and make the fair a success.

The lemon was introduced into the United States by Spanish adventurers and ever since they have been handed out in different forms and shapes.

**COMPLY WITH BANKHEAD ACT**  
Cotton Growers Apply for Their Marketing Allotments

More than one-third of the 20,000 cotton growers in Missouri and Illinois have filed applications for their allotment certificates for ginning and marketing cotton under the Bankhead Act.

The deadline for applications was Wednesday. The certificates will be available by the middle of August. This information reached New Madrid County Agent Leslie Broom this week in an official report from S. E. Rhode, executive secretary for the two states.

In carrying out the Bankhead plan for control of the cotton surplus the Agricultural Adjustment Administration has the overwhelming endorsement of the growers themselves, who expressed their wishes in the recent Bankhead referendum. The vote of contract signers and non-signers in Missouri endorsed the Bankhead Act by a majority of slightly more than 5 to 1. The vote in the cotton belt at large was equally decisive.

Producers who obtain marketing certificates under the Bankhead Act are furnished tax exempt certificates to the amount of their allotment, with which they pay the ginning tax on their cotton up to the total allotted to them. On any excess above their allotment they are required to pay the ginning tax when the cotton is ginned.

The tax on the gining of cotton for the 1935-36 cotton season, which begins the first of August, has been set at 6 cents per pound for all cotton in excess of allotments.

The determination of the tax is established under the law as one-half of the average price on ten designated spot cotton markets for a representative period. This base price has been determined by the Secretary of Agriculture as being 12 cents per pound, which automatically fixes the tax itself at 6 cents per pound. The price for the 1934-35 season was found to be 11.34 cents, which placed the tax at 5.67 cents per pound. The price is figured on the basis of 7-8 middling spot cotton.

The markets designated for determining the average price were: Augusta and Savannah, Ga.; Dallas, Houston and Galveston, Tex.; Little Rock, Ark.; Memphis, Tenn.; New Orleans, La.; and Norfolk, Va.

Walter Fletcher, 80, of Lucas, Ohio, has decided to retire. He has been Mayor of the town for 19 years and has been a member of the Town Council and school Board almost since he attained his majority.

A small amount of dusting sulphur placed in your socks, stockings or shoes will greatly reduce the annoyance caused by that pesky little red-bug known as the chigger. An added precaution is to wear high shoes or boots in the woods. A dash of alcohol, ammonia water, a diluted iodine solution, most any kind of oil or warm bath, using laundry soap, will also relieve the irritation.

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## CHURCH OF GOD

Sunday school—9:30 o'clock.  
Morning worship—11:00 o'clock.  
Young Peoples meeting—6:45.  
Prayer Meeting—7:30 o'clock.  
Wednesday evening.  
E. T. Fowler, pastor.

## DELTA RHO CLASS TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE

The Delta Rho Class of the First Baptist church will have a rummage sale in the Agoga Hall Saturday, July 13. The public is invited.

## Personal And Society Items From Morley

Mrs. Josephine Watson went to Chaffee Friday to visit at the homes of Ray and Henry Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bryant returned to their home in St. Louis Saturday after a week's visit here among relatives.

Eloise Stallings of Cape Girardeau was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stallings.

Leonard Vaughn was brought to his home here Tuesday after 9 days at the S. E. Missouri Hospital, following an operation. He is improving nicely.

Mr. J. O. Huffstetler of Portageville was an over night guest at the G. D. Harris home last Wednesday.

Mrs. Lottie Leslie and grandson Joe Leslie, went to Fredericktown Saturday to spend the night at the R. H. Leslie home.

Jesse Stowe returned home Memphis Wednesday night where he had been at the bedside of his wife who had a Gallstone operation at a Memphis hospital, June 29. She is slowly improving.

Elden Stallings left last Wednesday for Raleigh and Clayton, N. Carolina to visit relatives for 2 weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ferguson, Jr., and baby returned Sunday from Rector, Ark., where Mrs. Ferguson and baby spent a month with her parents.

Leroy Cox is spending this week with his sister, Mrs. Leonard Seabaugh of Cape Girardeau. Geneva and Veda May Foster, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foster are visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Miss Anne Tomlinson of Malden is a guest at the C. A. Stallings home for two weeks.

Mrs. Emma Gross was called to Kennett last week by the illness of her daughter.

Mary Elaine and Kathryn Lee McDonough are visiting at the A. V. Eachus home at Cape Girardeau this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bess and daughters of Flat River and Mrs. Howard Miller and children of Farmington were week-end guests of their mother, Mrs. Flora Daugherty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith went to St. Louis Monday morning to visit relatives.

The monthly S. S. Convention of Charleston Association was held here at the Baptist church Friday night. 5 churches were given by the Junior Department

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## METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school—9:45 o'clock.  
Morning Worship—11 o'clock.  
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Getting Acquainted with God".  
Epworth League—6:45 o'clock.  
Evening Worship—7:45 o'clock.  
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The True Test of Christianity".  
Rev. E. H. Orear, pastor.

of Charleston, Miss Alice Farris of Charleston is president.

The date for the Methodist picnic is July 20, and everybody is urged to come. Plenty of amusement furnished.

Mrs. R. L. Harrison and son Lyman, of Benton visited the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Harris, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Shorter and Mrs. C. C. Bryeans of Terre Haute, Ind., and Mrs. Roy Crawford of Little Rock, Ark., are visiting their mother, Mrs. Dora Congleton this week.

Mrs. Harris Foster and children of Cape Girardeau were Morley visitors Tuesday.

## MISSOURI FACTS

Corn is King in Missouri.

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Missouri is the only state having three big primary grain markets—St. Joseph, St. Louis, and Kansas City.

Gentry county, Missouri, grows more heavy bluegrass seed than any other county under the American flag.

Missouri has the nationally-known tobacco market at Weston in Platte county—it is noted for its product.

Half the counties in Missouri have grown more corn than any one of half the states of the nation.

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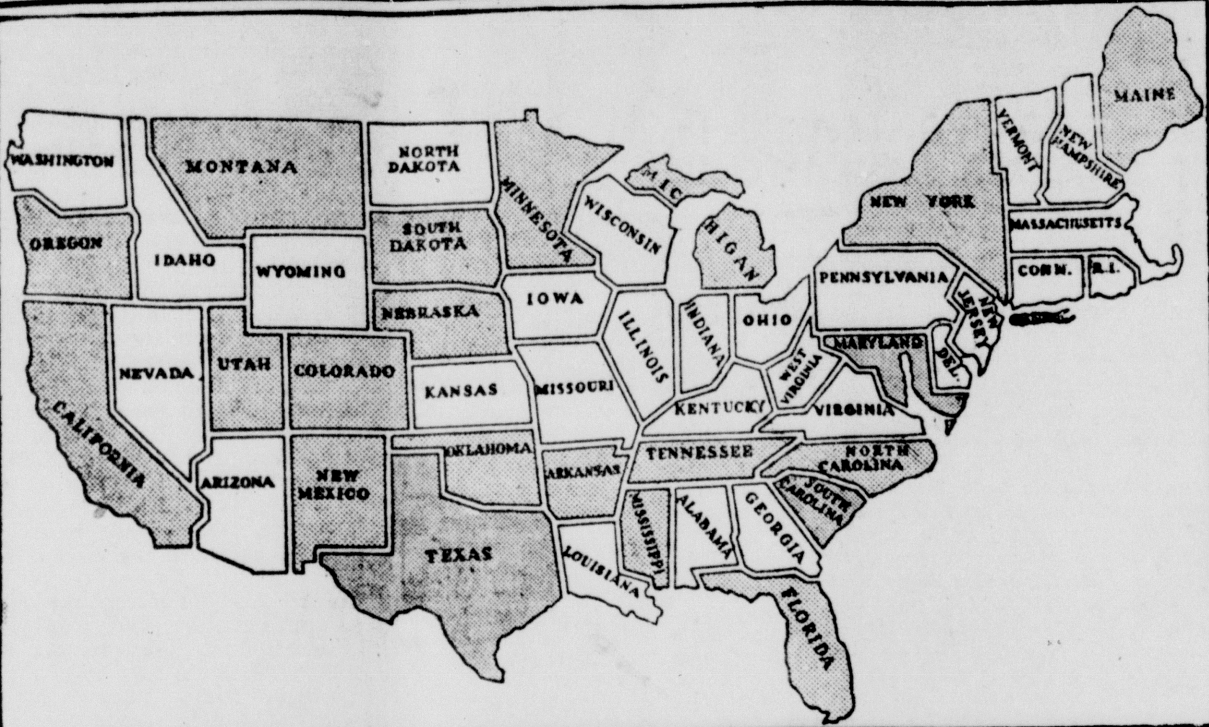
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# States Ask Federal Government To Cease Taxing Motor Fuel



Legislatures of 21 states, as indicated by shading on the map, have adopted memorials demanding that the federal government end the duplicating federal tax on gasoline June 30th, 1935.

WASHINGTON, D. C. — State governments are asking the Federal government to get out of the gasoline tax field and to stay out!

● Memorials adopted by legislatures of 21 states call for elimination of the duplicating federal tax upon gasoline at the legal expiration date June 30 next. Elimination has been recommended also by the Senate Finance Committee and by

other Congressional committees. special additional Federal taxes, a total of \$1,723,780,555. The Federal government's regular road expenditures have been only \$1,259,222,497.

Efforts of state governments to eliminate the Federal tax have been aided by nearly 250 organizations representing millions of taxpayers. They have adopted resolutions and appealed to individual Congressmen to end this tax June 30 next.

The Federal gasoline tax cost consumers more than \$170,000,000 in 1934 alone. Since 1917 highway users have paid in this, and other

## RECOVERY NOTES

Compiled by Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State.

Building activity in the City of

St. Louis for the first six months of this year was 37 per cent above the volume for the same period in 1934. Building construction during the first half of 1935 amounted to \$3,608,105 as compared with \$2,627,592 for the same period last year.

The market appraisal of 100 representative common stocks listed on the New York Exchange advanced 5.9 per cent, or \$789,023,000 during June, according to the monthly compilation of Frazier, McKee and Co. Motor car companies made the largest gain, 9.6 per cent, of any special class.

Cash income to farmers from sales of farm products plus government benefit payments totaled \$520,000,000 in May of this

year, the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture announces. This compares with an income of \$560,000,000 in April and \$438,000,000 in May, 1934.

Pay rolls of the steel industry in May aggregated more than \$600,000 above April, the American Iron and Steel Institute announces. Total pay rolls for the month were \$46,493,536, as compared with \$45,890,244 in April.

Postal receipts at the Jefferson City, Mo., post office continue to increase, according to Postmaster A. Linxwiler. For the three-month period ending June 30 they amounted to \$80,010, a gain of \$4,325 over the same period of 1934.

Residential building awards continue to show encouraging improvement over the total for 1934. The F. W. Dodge Corporation reports. The volume reported in the 37 states east of the Rocky Mountains during the first half of June

amounted to \$25,779,200, almost equal to the full month of June, 1934. The May residential contract total was about 6 per cent greater than in April and about 80 per cent ahead of the residential volume recorded for May, 1934.

President Roosevelt has made \$91,000,000 of the \$4,800,000,000 New Deal employment fund immediately available for rural rehabilitation and for aid in stricken agricultural areas.

Eleven applications for loans and grants totaling \$440,208 have been filed with the Missouri offices of the PWA in St. Louis during the last few days. Cassville is seeking \$48,604 for a sanitary system and sewage disposal plant; Pilot Grove wants \$36,500 for a new waterworks and \$31,000 for a sewage system; Galena is asking \$30,000 of PWA funds for a new water plant, and a New Madrid County drainage district

is requesting a grant of \$62,824 to pay for restoration of drainage districts to their original capacity.

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company reports net profits of \$5,980,637 for the first five months of the current year. This is an increase of 15.3 per cent over the \$5,185,215 in the corresponding period of last year. Dividends requirements during the period were earned nine times over.

For the week ending June 22, lumber shipments in the United States gained 7.5 per cent over those of the preceding week, according to the National Lumber Manufacturer's Association.

More than \$200,000,000 of the \$4,880,000,000 public works fund will be expended in the construction of farm-to-market roads, Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, announces. This amount is expected to take 1,000,000 men off of relief rolls in the rural areas of the country.

Placements made by the St. Louis office of the Missouri State Employment Service numbered 259 during the week ending June 29. Of this number, 154 were in private employment and 105 in public employment. Registrations for work during the week numbered 5,741 as compared with 6,130 in the preceding week.

Largely unaffected by adverse seasonal influences, a majority of business sections indicated a quickening of operations during the week ending June 22. The Administrative and Research Corporation's weekly index of business trends increased to 76.6 for the week as compared with 74.6 for the previous week and 72.1 for the corresponding week last year.

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## OUTSTANDING EVENTS IN U. S. NAVAL HISTORY

War With Spain—April 25, 1898 United States becomes a World Power. The causes of the war were: Spanish cruelty to Cubans seizure of American ships on the pretext that they were violating Spanish customs regulations in Cuba, and the destruction of the U. S. S. Maine. War was declared on April 25, 1898, and peace was signed December 10, 1898. As the results of the war, Spanish sea power was destroyed and the United States became a world power, Spain relinquished claim to Cuba, ceded to the United States the islands of Porto Rico and Guam, and sold to the United States the Philippine Islands for 20 million dollars. The only American naval officer to be killed in action was Ensign Worth Bagley, who was killed during the Battle of Cardenas, May 11, 1898, on board the U. S. Torpedo Boat Winslow.

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# LAIR STORE NEWS

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## NEW ADDITIONS

Our farmer friends may be interested in the fact that we now have the sale of Electrolux Kerosene Refrigerators. Convenient terms of payment may be arranged by those who are not in position to part with all cash at one time. So far as we can learn the Electrolux gives wonderful service—in fact as good or better than many electrics. They are beautiful in appearance and best of all cost only a trifle to operate. There are no moving parts to get out of order. Call and see the newest Electrolux.

## STILL ANOTHER TOP NOTCHER

Coleman Instant-Gas Ranges are also new additions to our mammoth stock and the heat they produce on a small amount of fuel is remarkable. 'Tis hardly necessary for us to brag on a Coleman product because most housekeepers who read know about their wonderful qualities. Just want to let you know we have them, and can sell on weekly or monthly terms if you want them that way.

## BARGAINS IN USED ITEMS

Six foot General Electric Refrigerator—looks well and is in good running order—see it promptly if interested. Six or eight real good ice refrigerators—some of them porcelain lined. Beautiful walnut bedroom suits of 3 pieces—two living room suites in fine order—one eight piece dining set—nice five piece breakfast set—two high grade Florence ranges almost like new—a lot more smaller pieces—second floor.

## SEE OUR WINDOWS THIS WEEK

In the west section you will note a beautiful burl walnut bedroom suite that is an unusual value for one hundred "smackers". The settings around it are harmonious and at reasonable cost. Next to that you will marvel at the lovely Sealy Mattresses in different styles—all comfortable and inviting to tired bodies—and on the east side we are especially proud of the showing of International Hooked Rugs made by the Firth mills. If you like to window shop on nice home furnishings take a look at our display.

## IF YOU KNEW WHAT WE KNOW—?

Most electric refrigerators are similar in appearance but tear down a genuine Frigidaire and you will find every item of construction is the best that money can buy. We KNOW these things because we have been shown. We also know there are many people in and around Sikeston who are holding off owning a Frigidaire because they think they "can't afford it." The fact is they "can't afford" NOT to own one when payments are as low as 15c, 20 and 25c a day. Ice money goes in small sums and what have you to show for it? See our Frigidaire models. Some of them have special trade in privileges on used goods.

## NO EXAGGERATIONS

Our salesmen are cautioned against wild claims of superiority—"miracle" merchandising and other forms of wind work. We are proud of our store and believe we can serve patrons of this section to good advantage. Energy and industry in the force bring this about rather than any false propaganda that may be circulated.

## Heisserer's Store News

STOP THAT COUGH WITH Cherry Bark Cough Syrup. Wonderfully effective. 39c.

MILK OF MAGNESIA FOR acid conditions. Pint size, 39c.

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HOT WATER BOTTLE SPECIAL value at \$1.25. Also sick room supplies of all kinds.

RUBBING ALCOHOL SHOULD be in every medicine cabinet 40c a pint bottle. 15c.

SLOANS LINIMENT FOR sprains and bruises 35c a bottle.

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THE ONLY HAT JOHN BUCKLER, COLUMBIA PLAYER, WEARS IS AN OPERA TOPPER—AND THAT'S BORROWED!

FRANKLIN PANGBORN'S GREATEST THRILL WAS WHEN A SEAL WALKED INTO HIS DRESSING ROOM.



TO RUSH CORN-HOG CHECKS  
State-Approved Contracts Are Sent to Washington

Missouri is making progress in the auditing of the 1935 corn-hog contracts—the final step preceding actual disbursement of the first rental and benefit payments to cooperating farmers. The number of Missouri contracts audited, approved, and sent to Washington up to the closing hour Saturday night was approximately 4000, according to J. W. Burch, assistant director of the Agricultural Extension Service.

On the basis of customary speed in handling contracts, the actual distributing of the first 1935 corn-hog payments will get under way by the end of July. Boards of review in all states were directed June 28 to immediately transmit to Washington all contracts completed and approved as of that date. They have been further directed to continue the flow of additional contracts to Washington as fast as contracts are approved.

Recent reports from the 48 states have indicated that nearly 300,000 corn-hog contracts would be ready for transmittal to Washington this week. It is believed that an additional 500,000 contracts will arrive in Washington before the end of July. The remainder of the 1,032,500 contracts under preparation is expected in August and early September.

The corn-hog payments under the 1935 corn-hog contract will total about \$185,000,000 and will be paid in two installments. The first installment, representing roughly one-half of the total, will be paid this summer as soon as the contracts have been audited and accepted for payment by the Secretary of Agriculture. The second installment will be paid on or after January 1, 1936.

With less than one percent of the second payments and less than three per cent of the final payments under last year's program yet unpaid, the Administration is ready to begin distribution of the 1935 payments, according to Washington officials. The remaining unpaid contracts under the 1934 program can be handled along with the new contracts. In practically all of these unpaid cases, the delay in payment has been due to irregularities requiring additional checking and everything possible is being done to clear them up. On June 29 a total of \$297,342,177.42 had been paid to farmers participating in the 1934 corn-hog program.

TIMELY INFORMATION ON INSECTS, THEIR CONTROL

Fly Control

In controlling house flies or flies around the barn, one should first of all do everything that is practical to eliminate their breeding places. Another very important step in fly control is the use of good screens. Every home should have adequate screens to keep the flies out. It is often practical to use screens around the dairy barn to a good advantage. Fly paper and fly traps may also be used to a good advantage in many places. Fly sprays are very helpful but one should not expect the use of fly sprays to solve their fly problems. They can be depended upon to do their part in the control work but they should not be expected to do it all. Sprays used as a mist spray in rooms will kill many flies if the room can be closed up tightly for a few minutes. When used on livestock the sprays should be directed at the flies and not too much at the stock and the animals should not be groomed too soon after treatment. A good fly spray may be made up by using pyrethrum extract at the rate of one pint of the extract to 19 pints of high grade kerosene. The extract may be purchased at most chemical houses and the kerosene can be secured at most gas stations. If a special odor is

desired, one can buy those chemicals and add a very small amount. This spray may be used as a mist spray or it may be used on livestock. It should be as effective as most any other fly sprays and it can be made up very cheaply.

Protecting 1935 Stored Grain Against Insects

One of the most important steps in controlling insects that infest stored grains, such as in wheat, is that of properly cleaning out the bin before filling it. Often times one, because of lack of time, hurriedly prepares the place where the grain is to be stored. Then perhaps after six months decided to hold the grain over until the price gets better and then finds his grain badly infested with stored grain insects. Very likely many of these pests were harboring in the bin at the time the grain was stored.

One can kill many of the pests in the bin by thoroughly cleaning out all refuse of previous grains that might be in the cracks, crevices, beneath boards, or behind partitions, etc. After this is done, the floors of the bin should be scrubbed with boiling lye water and all crevices should be soaked thoroughly. The bin should be located where rats and mice will tend to not harbor about it. It should be as near rat proof as it is possible to make it. Often times it is necessary to treat the grain in the fall for those stored grain pests that may come into the bin with the grain so it will be important to keep this in mind, and if the grain is likely to need this later treatment, the bin should be made as gas-tight as is possible before filling it with grain.

Aphids or Plant Lice

This season has been ideal for the development aphids or plant lice. Most every plant as well as a few trees and shrubs have been seriously affected. In many cases, it is not practical to treat the affected plants and with the larger plants there may not be any permanent damage to the plant.

Where it may seem practical to stop the damage being done, one can use a nicotine sulfate spray in soapy water. Ordinary soapy water will be fairly effective but the addition of the nicotine sulfate will increase its effectiveness. One would use 1 ounce of the nicotine sulfate to each 5 or 6 gallons of water. About an inch cube of soap is sufficient for each gallon of water. The soap should be dissolved in a small amount of hot water before mixing the spray solution.

Tomato Fruit Worms

The worm that eats a hole in the fruit of the tomato shortly before picking time may be controlled by applying two arsenical

sprays to the plants at a 10-day interval shortly after the young tomato fruits have reached the size of a small marble. This worm is the same as the corn ear worm. On sweet corn the worms may be reduced in number considerably by dusting the silks of the ears when they first appear with sulphur and calcium arsenate mixed in equal parts. The calcium arsenate may be used as the spray or as a dust on the tomato plants. This same arsenical may be used on beans to prevent the corn ear worm from eating a small round hole in the pods of the bean and then destroying the young beans inside the pods.

Cabbage Worms

The green worm that eats in the cabbage plants may be controlled very effectively and the plants will in no way be injured for human consumption. One can use calcium arsenate as a dust and it will give good control of the worms. The cabbage head grows from the inside and since the other leaves are cut away no exposed parts of the head are in contact with the arsenical. Cabbage plants should be watched carefully and dusted regularly if a severe infestation shows up.

PAINT CAN LEAD TO BIG SAVINGS

"The city of Sikeston can properly save \$210,000.00 through property conservation by timely application of paint," said J. A. Young, chairman of the Sikeston Better Housing Program Committee. "My estimate," said Mr. Young, "is based upon data compiled by a prominent authority. He estimates that the possible annual conservation of property by paint totals \$3,445,000.00. This is \$30 per capita. I multiplied the population by 30 to get my estimate of \$210,000.00."

"Any citizen who examines his property for the purpose of finding places which need paint will be taking an important step in cooperation with the modernization campaign. Such a survey will undoubtedly reveal to him many needed repairs in the fundamental structure or equipment of his home or business property."

"The following check list for the property owners contemplating remodeling has been suggested by the chairman of the national code authority for the paint, varnish and lacquer manufacturing industry:

1. Repair exterior, giving special attention to metal work, roof, window and door frames, porch floors, and steps.
2. Have exterior surface of house carefully prepared for repainting before coating begins.
3. Refinish bathroom, kitchen, and laundry ceilings, walls, and woodwork, using gloss paint to repel steam and grease.
4. Recoat linoleum floors with lacquer or wax.
5. Decorate walls and ceilings of rooms other than Kitchen, bathroom, and laundry, with dull finish surface coating, using pale tints on ceilings to reflect all possible light.
6. Refinish trim, windows, and doors with paint, enamel, stain, or varnish.
7. Scrape clean, refinish badly marred floors, using products manufactured for the purpose.
8. Paint lighting fixtures and switch plates to match trim or walls.
9. Coat cellar walls and floors to repel moisture and modernize basement.
10. Paint basement stairs light color so they'll be clearly visible.

HOME OIL COMPANY TO SELL EL RICO GASOLINE

The Home Oil Company has been appointed distributor for the Mississippi Valley Oil Company of St. Louis, a firm which supplies El Rico gasoline to the various stations of the state highway department. Officials of the Home Oil concern will also supply customers at their station with this gasoline.

Negro Constable Dismissed

The commission of S. L. Holmes a negro special deputy constable for Sunset addition, was revoked and returned to Judge Joseph W. Myers Tuesday. Holmes was appointed January 9 of this year by Constable W. O. Ellis. He was dismissed because he flourished a large gun and was overbearing.

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1930 Chevrolet Coupe	\$ 50.00
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## July Sale of Ladies' and Children's White Shoes

### SALE STARTS TODAY

200 Pairs Ladies' Slippers in whites, two-tones, blues, greys, brown and blonde. Pump, strap and ties. Values from \$4.00 to \$6.00. SPECIAL AT **\$1.95**

200 Pairs of Ladies' Choicest Slippers in Pumps, Straps, Oxfords, one and two eye ties in high and low heels. Values from \$5.00 to \$8.80. SPECIAL **\$2.95**

All \$5.85 to \$7.50 choice Marlene and Fashion Plate Ladies' Slippers in the pick of all the best styles **\$3.45**

One table of Men's Oxfords in Two-Tone Tan, Black and White, Brown and White, \$5.00 values **\$1.95 and \$2.95**

All Poll Parrot and Star Brand Children's Slippers **20% Off**

LADIES' TOELESS and MIRACLE SANDALS White, Blue, Red and Brown Values \$2.50 and \$2.95 **\$1.95**

### In Our Bargain Basement

200 Pairs of Blonde Slippers, Pumps, Straps and Sandals \$3.50 to \$5.00 values, now per pair **50c**

SPECIAL! 100 Pairs Children's Slippers whites, blacks, tans **50c**

ONE LOT LADIES' WHITE AND BEIGE SANDALS **98c**

LADIES' WHITE SANDALS **\$1.39**

Ladies' Star Brand White Oxfords and Straps **\$1.49**

Children's White Oxfords, sizes 10½ to 2 **98c**

Children's White T-Strap Slippers, 12½ to 2½ **\$1.19**

### Special Lot of Cotton Wash Dresses

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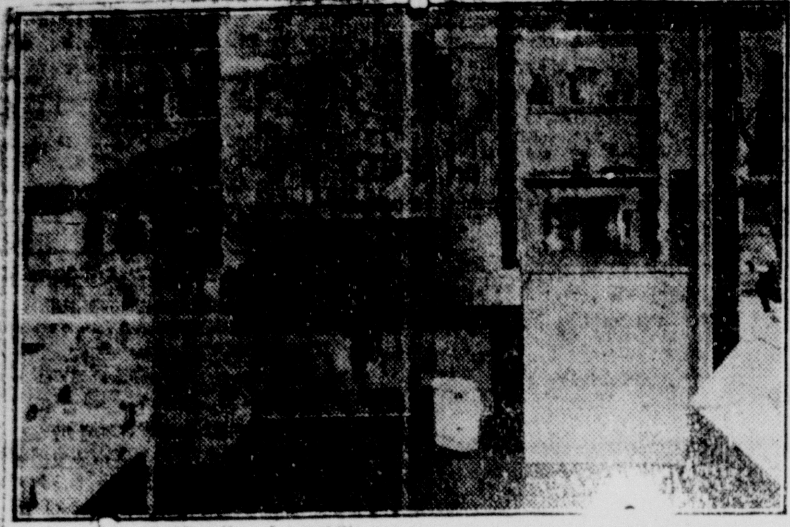
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SIKESTON MISSOURI



## More Efficient Kitchens for County Farm Homes



Hundreds of Scott County women have longed for the day when they could have the handy, efficient kitchen they have long dreamed about. In some cases, these "new" kitchens will become a reality in 1935.

It is often possible to modernize the farm kitchen with a surprisingly small amount of expense.

It is not always necessary to change the arrangement of walls, so long as there is light enough. The modernized kitchen above shows the window above the sink. This is a happy arrangement and one which most farm women prefer. In this case, it is no longer necessary to look at a blank wall during the countless hours of kitchen work at or near the sink.

Light, neutral tones in the kitchen are easiest to live with and on the whole, easier to keep clean, as well. Gay curtains and bright pots and pans appear to much better advantage against plain, light walls.

The Twice-A-Week Sikeston Standard, in co-operation with Successful Farming (published at Des Moines, Iowa) will furnish ideas and suggestions concerning home modernization to those who use the coupon below. And it might be well for you to note the home modernization messages of Sikeston merchants as presented on this page.

### THE SIKESTON STANDARD SIKESTON, MISSOURI.

Please send me, FREE, postpaid, two booklets, "The Farm House Keeps Pace" by a noted rural architect, and "Furnishing the Farm Home" by an expert interior decorator.

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### SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER GENERAL EXECUTION

Under and by virtue of a general execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, dated the 17th day of June, 1935, and to me, the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, in a certain cause in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, wherein the First National Bank in St. Louis, a corporation, is plaintiff and Marshall Land & Mercantile Company, a corporation, is defendant, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, entered of record on the 12th day of June, 1935, in favor of the plaintiff and against the herein named defendant for the sum of \$82,567.91, with interest from the date of said judgment until paid at the rate of eight per cent per annum and for costs of suit;

AND, in which aforesaid general execution I am commanded that of the goods and chattels and real estate of said defendant, Marshall Land & Mercantile Company, a corporation, I cause to be made the judgment, interest and costs aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS there was issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, a general execution dated the 13th day of March, A. D. 1935, and to me, the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, in a certain cause in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, wherein the First National Bank in St. Louis, a corporation, is plaintiff and Marshall Land & Mercantile Company, a corporation, is defendant, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, entered on the 11th day of March, 1935, in favor of the plaintiff and against the Marshall Land & Mercantile Company for the sum of \$26,459.90, with interest from the date of said judgment until paid at the rate of six per cent per annum and for costs of suit, upon which execution there remains unsatisfied the principal sum of \$18,096.53, said execution having been heretofore levied on the property hereinafter described and is a prior lien to the aforesaid execution;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to the command of said general execution, aforesaid, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of the said defendant, Marshall Land & Mercantile Company a corporation, of, in and to the following described land and real estate lying, being and situate in the County of Scott in the State of Missouri, to-wit:

249.59 acres, the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and that part of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) north of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, and the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Eighteen (18), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

13/100 acres, Fractional Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) north of railroad in Section Ten (10), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

of the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-five (25), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

80 acres, the North Half (N $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

40 acres, the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

80 acres, the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the Southwest (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Thirty-four (34), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

431 acres, the West Three-Fourth (W $\frac{3}{4}$ ) of the North Half (N $\frac{1}{2}$ ) and that part of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northeast (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) lying North of Ditch 5, and that part of the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) lying West of Ditch 5 in Section Thirty-six (36), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

492.05 acres, being the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Lot One (1) and all of Lots Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6) and Seven (7), inclusive, of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Four (4), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

287.55 acres, the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Lots Three (3) and Four (4), and all of Lots Five (5), Six (6) and Seven (7) in the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Five (5), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

53.90 acres, the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Lots Six (6), and Seven (7), in the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Five (5), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

77 acres, Lot One (1) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Seven (7), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

4 acres, the Southwest (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) corner of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Eleven (11), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

40 acres, the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty (20), Township Twenty-seven, Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty (20), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

40 acres, the Northwest Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-nine (29), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

80 acres, the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Thirteen (13), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

160.64 acres, Lot One (1) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Two (2), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Thirteen (13) East;

240 acres the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twelve (12), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Thirteen (13) East;

50/100 acre, 15 feet off the West side of the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twelve (12), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Thirteen (13) East;

320 acres, the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section Twelve (12), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Thirteen (13) East;

323.81 acres, all of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section one (1), Township Twenty-six (26), Range Fourteen (14) East;

136 acres, Lot Two (2) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Lot Two (2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Seven (7), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

40 acres, the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

35.65 acres, all that part of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), lying west of ditch, in Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

146.28 acres, all that part of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) lying west of ditch in Section Twenty-three (23), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

240 acres, the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

## Personal and Society News From Oran

Miss Jessie Mason came up from Sikeston Wednesday night to attend the picnic Thursday.

Miss Madge Mason was called to Sikeston last week where she has employment.

The picnic given by the Catholic congregation the Fourth, was a very successful affair. Proceeds were about \$2000.

Mrs. Richards is here from Cairo for a visit with old friends. Mrs. Oda Dunning has been on the sick list the last week.

Miss Etta Douglass and a young lady friend from St. Louis came down for the Fourth and remained until Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Le Grand and two daughters and gentlemen friends came down from St. Louis for the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Alfultis and children spent the Fourth in East Prairie with relatives. They were accompanied home by Miss Helen Watson for a few days.

W. A. Maddox donated 25 fans to the Methodist church, and also some to the Baptist church for which he has the thanks of both congregations.

Several threshing outfits started last week. Neither the quantity nor quality of the wheat was above average.

Rufus Long, who is in a CCC camp is home for a few days' visit with home folks.

Dal Short and sister, Mrs. Geo. Rasmussen and daughter, left Wednesday last for Kansas City and Rich Hill, where they will visit their mother and sister.

Ben Meyer is here from Flint, Michigan, for a visit with home folks.

Clarence Sanders came home last week from Flint, Mich., where he has been visiting his daughter and family.

Several of the boys from here were called last week to CCC camps. Others expect to go later.

There will be a sale of household goods Saturday afternoon at the P. J. Geisner home.

Work of repairing the roof of the Methodist church is expected to start this week. The property occupied by Rev. Hansford and family has been purchased for a parsonage and will be moved on the lawn east of the church. Moving this is also expected to be commenced this week. The building was purchased from Leo Pfefferkorn and the buying made possible by help from others than the church membership.

Mrs. Hannah Volkert was sick last week and under the care of a physician.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold their regular meeting at Morley Monday, July 15th at 3 P. M. All members of the American Legion Post as well as Auxiliary members are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

## Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Leming, and small daughter, Dotsie Gay, of Atlanta, Georgia, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leming.

Phillip Banks of Jonesboro, Ark., was a visitor here Monday.

Mrs. Bill Grossman spent the 4th of July vacation in Golconda, Ill., with relatives.

Miss Vinita Edwards spent last week in Piggott, Ark., with friends.

Miss Louise Bond of Chaffee, was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Anna Blaylock, last week end.

Mrs. Viola Boone returned Monday from a visit in Jefferson City, with her son and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spence, Sr.,

Mr. and Mrs. John Spence, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Spence were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Clayton at Senath, the Fourth.

Clarence Legate and son, of Longview, Washington, are visiting his brother, Emory Legate, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Fisher and family left last Wednesday for Logansport, Ind., where they will spend their summer vacation.

They were accompanied by Miss Jane Anne McIntyre, who has been visiting here several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Shelby and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Williams of Flint, Michigan, spent the 4th of July, here with their parents.

Miss Joy May Edwards of Sikeston, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards this week.

Joe Patterson of Detroit, Mich., visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone, who have been in Marked Tree, Ark., for several months, returned home Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dent Tanner, July, a son, who has been christened, Dent, Jr.

The Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. Mildred Farmer last week at the home of Mrs. Ira Meneses. Mrs. Juanita Dillon received high score, and Mrs. Ira Meneses received second high.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Darcy Brown this week.

Loren Scaggs of St. Louis, visited friends here last week.

Bobby Fisher and Norman Crumpecker, made a business trip to Pine Bluff, Ark., last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gossage of St. Louis spent the 4th here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gossage.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Robinson of Risco and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warren of Gideon were guests of Mrs. Bob Warren last week.

Doris and Joyce Comer of Sikeston, spent the 4th of July here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lowe of St. Louis visited relatives here last week.

A group of people from the Baptist church here attended a Fellowship meeting at Morley, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. K. Barnhill and two sons, of Puxico, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Addie Phillips is visiting her children Bill Phillips and Mrs. Jewell Miller at Canolou this week.

Lert Weeks of Canolou was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hart of Dexter were guests of Mrs. R. F. Vick last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Reeves and children of St. Louis spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sherrard.

Miss Alma Bremerman of Cape Girardeau was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. Laurie Pucket of Crenshaw, Miss., former teacher here, is visiting friends here this week.

Three Morehouse boys, Elvis

McNabb, Russell Sloan and David Reeves, left last Tuesday morning to join the Civilian Conservation Corps. They are located at a camp near Piedmont, Mo.

## CITY SOFTBALL LEADERS ARE LISTED IN SUMMARY

These summaries of home runs, leading batters, and team rankings for members of the city softball leagues were compiled by Tharon E. Stallings, chairman of the Junior Chamber of Commerce athletic committee, which is supervising league play. They are inclusive for games played during the first seven weeks of the softball tournament, through last Friday.

**Home Runs**  
Twenty-two home runs were made by players during the first seven weeks of league games, ten by members of the American league and twelve by National players. Guards made six; Sikes, five; Legion, four; Lions, three; H. & L. two; and Buckner and Midwest one each. The only team

not represented is the Highway. Bennett, Guard, has made three; Mahew, Lions, and Walker, Legion, two each. These men have made one: R. Swaim, A. Swaim, Earls, Bowman, Stacy, Hessling, Jackson, Greer, Kindred, Hirschberg, Campbell, Kirby, Baker, Heisserer and L. Felker.

**Leading Batters**  
Sharp, V. Buckner ..... 641  
Dace, M., Highway ..... 622  
Swaim, A., Guard ..... 580  
Bowman, J., Sikes ..... 535  
Malone, B., Lions ..... 500  
Dace, R., Sikes ..... 500

**National League**  
Team ..... AB R H E BA  
Sikes ..... 301 101 109 51.361  
Highway ..... 295 115 106 38.359  
Lions ..... 263 73 84 51.319  
Legion ..... 269 71 87 68.323

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H. & L.	245	72	84	38	.342
Guard	268	85	97	38	.362
Buckner	257	89	99	34	.384
Midwest	231	43	52	51	.224
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Guard					4 3 .571
Buckner					4 3 .571
Midwest					1 6 .143

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## Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Miss Evelyn Poe of Charleston visited friends here over the week end.

R. J. Strand left Wednesday for Terre Haute, Ind., for several weeks' visit with friends.

Harold Dickerman of St. Louis, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dickerman.

Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Humbberger of Louisville, Ky., spent the past week here looking after their farming interests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Waters and family attended an old settlers reunion at Dixon, Ill., Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and daughter Verlin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Binford, Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Carey and little son were 12 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Binford Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Mills and daughter Miss Hope spent Thursday in Cape Girardeau with relatives.

Miss Bernice Sutton visited Miss Dorothy Carew in Senath, Saturday, and was accompanied home by Miss Carew for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Morgan, Mrs. J. H. Turnage and son, W. O. were 12 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Calvin of the Crowe neighborhood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Moore and son of Moberly, arrived Sunday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Miss Glenda Waters spent Saturday in Hayti with Mrs. Sherman Hill. She was accompanied home by Miss Rachel Hill who will spend the week here with Misses Wanda Waters and Beatrice Critchlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Mainard and daughter visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Mainard, Sunday.

Misses Jean and Joyce Holmes of Charter Oak spent Sunday here with their uncle, Chas. Lumsden and family.

Miss Leala Spalding, who has been suffering from a severe attack of chronic appendicitis is not much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sutton were Sunday dinner guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sutton at their country home.

Miss Blanch Godwin of this place, Miss Marie Byrd of LaForge and Pete and Bud Brooks of the Crowe Community enjoyed an all-day picnic at Big Springs State Park the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Harden and Mr. and Mrs. Lem Hulsey motored to Catron Sunday where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harden.

Mrs. Lynn Finley and baby daughter are in McMullin this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Finley.

Noble and Gwendolyn Cole returned Sunday from Harrisburg, Ill., where they have been the past few weeks.

## COTTON PAYMENTS IN

Southeast Missouri Growers Get Half Million Dollars

New Madrid county growers who are cooperating in the AAA have received to date a total of \$88,512.86 in first installment checks on their 1935 rental payments, according to County Agent Leslie Broom. The total amount of first payment checks received in Missouri thus far is \$516,733.40 to which will soon be added the first payments on 1171 delayed contracts, most of which were submitted to Washington within the last two weeks.

The payments received thus far have been distributed to producers on 6760 cotton farms in twelve counties as follows:

Pemiscot, 1611 contracts, \$211,189.22.

Dunklin, 2053 contracts, \$139,492.98.

Stoddard, 698 contracts, \$22,249.62.

New Madrid, 1049 contracts, \$88,512.86.

Scott, 281 contracts, \$13,560.05.

Mississippi, 299 contracts, \$23,97.36.

Butler, 412 contracts, \$12,544.62.

Ripley 153 contracts, \$2,703.93.

Oregon, 87 contracts, \$1,129.98.

Howell, 38 contracts, \$435.56.

Ozark, 73 contracts, \$779.17.

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It seems that too often we forget all about the fleecy white clouds, which add so much to the attractiveness and beauty of a snapshot. The average amateur will put forth great effort to secure sharpness, contrast and good composition in his ground subject and then completely overlook the possibilities of beautiful cloud effects.

One thing that really adds to the interest in a landscape picture is clouds. Suppose we are taking such a picture and use a film which responds only to ultra-violet, violet, and blue light. We should not be able to distinguish between the clouds and sky if we give enough exposure to show detail in the landscape. This is because the light from the blue sky and the white clouds is very rich in light rays to which the film responds.

Although clouds and blue sky are both rich in ultra-violet, violet and blue, there is a marked difference between the two. The lights from the clouds, being white, actually contain, however, a lot of green and red light, while that from the blue sky does not.

This then, suggests a way to effectively show clouds and sky in a snapshot. We must use a film which will respond to green, or to green and red light, and put over the lens a filter which does not let through the ultra-violet, violet and blue. The green or green and red light from the clouds will thus affect the film, while practically no light from the sky will get through to it, and in the finished print, the clouds will appear whiter than the sky.

Some film is sensitive to green light only but super-sensitive pan-

chromatic film will respond to both green and red light. All these films will, therefore, show up the clouds against the sky if used with a yellow filter.

From time to time you have perhaps heard of "filter factors". Here's what it means. Since the filter cuts out some of the light which would otherwise affect the film, a longer exposure must be given. The amount by which the exposure must be increased is known as the "factor" of the filter. It is noted by the number of times the exposure must be increased when using a color filter, as compared with the exposure without one.

The deeper the yellow color in the filter the more violet and blue it removes, or "holds back". The greater the "factor" the more the exposure must be increased.

As you will not doubt surmise, there are various types of filters and each type has its limitations. In choosing a filter you must make your own decision based on your general requirements.

If you do not want to seriously consider filter "factors" there is a filter known as a Sky Filter used extensively by amateurs to photograph clouds in a landscape with no increase in exposure time. Half of this filter is yellow and the other half clear. This filter can be used without increasing the exposure because the sky is photographed through the yellow part while the landscape, or general subject is photographed through the lower half, which is not colored. Yes, you can even get clouds with a silver lining.

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than half of the total amount of rental and parity payments accruing to contract signers during 1935. Payments yet to be received include approximately \$100,000.00 in first payment on new contracts, about \$500,000 in second payments, and last of all the parity payments amounting to 1 1/4 cents a pound on 40 per cent of the five-year average production on each contract signer's farm.

The second payments will be made about October 1, and the parity payments shortly thereafter.

## HOME SERVICE SCHOOL DRAWS LARGE ATTENDANCE

Keen interest in home making problems was evinced by local women when an enthusiastic group of Sikeston women crowded the Rex Theatre to learn the newest developments in modern home conveniences.

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Miss Elsa Bradley home economist, conducted the lecture demonstrations and prepared delicious frozen desserts and other recipes requiring refrigeration. An entertaining film short, starring Beverly Bayne, entitled "Norging Ahead Together," a humorous film depicting the use values of home appliances, climaxed the afternoon entertainment.

## SEMO NEGROES SENT TO BUTLER CO. CCC CAMP

Forty-four negro men, including four from Scott county, were sent Thursday to a Butler county CCC camp situated on Highway 67 between Poplar Bluff and Hendrickson.

Ten of the recruits were from New Madrid county; ten from Mississippi; twelve from Pemiscot; and four each from Stoddard and Butler. A large group will be sent soon from St. Louis.

Twelve men have been at the camp, preparing it for accommodation of 204 negroes, the full camp quota. The camp was located in Butler county after Hayti residents protested a proposal to set it up near their town. Building contracts are completed and a well 631 feet deep has been dug.

Four negro CCC camps will be located in Missouri. Two are already in operation, one at Liberty and a second at DeSoto. The fourth is expected to be located at Delta, according to camp officers.

## NOW SIGNING CONTRACTS

A Million Corn-Hog Producers Sign AAA Agreements

More than a million 1935 corn-hog contracts, involving rental and benefit payments of \$186,000,000, are now in preparation or readiness for the final signatures of producers who have previously signed applications for contracts under the AAA planned

production program. Missouri is third along the corn-hog states in number of contracts, according to County Agent Broom, with approximately 93,000 signers.

State reports covering the entire country up to June 10 indicate that 1,032,500 contracts are either ready or nearly ready for the final signatures. These agreements cover base acreage of corn land amounting to 53,780,000 acres and indicate that nearly 12,000,000 acres will be withheld from corn production under this year's contracts. This represents slightly more than 22 per cent of the signers' total annual corn acreage for the base years.

Though the minimum reduction required in corn acreage adjustment is only 10 per cent as compared with 20 per cent last year, cooperating farmers are holding nearly the same amount of corn out of production this year because of the great decrease in livestock number and because of a desire for ample crop insurance.

According to the preliminary reports the number of hogs on which benefit payments will be made under the 1935 program total about 4,800,000 head. This number represents the total adjustment of the contract signers, each of whom pledged to hold his 1935 market hog production 10 per cent under his 1932-33 average. The signers' total hog adjustment under contract represents less than 7 per cent of the annual hog production in the United States in 1932 and 1933, as compared with nearly 20 per cent last year when contracting farmers were asked to reduce their market hog production by 25 per cent.

Present indications are that disbursement of first payment checks amounting to about \$84,850,000 will get under way by the middle of July, representing \$7.50 per head on the adjustment of 10 per cent in hog production and 15 cents per bushel on the production estimated for the acreage retired from corn production.

The second and final payment due under the 1935 contract and totalling approximately \$101,132,000 is to be sent to cooperating farmers as soon after January 1, 1936, as possible.

This installment will cover the balance of \$7.50 per head in the hog adjustment and 20 cents per bushel of corn—less the pro-rata share of the local administrative expenses.

Dr. D. E. Beck, biology professor at Brigham Young University Provo, Utah, has a most unusual white rat in his laboratory. In recent combats it has killed two rattlesnakes, a red racer and a bull lizard and is apparently immune from any venom.

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## Personal And Society Items From Vanduser

Mrs. Frank Greer and Bob Gobers family motored to Dexter Sunday to visit relatives and friends.

M. C. Chaney of Morley is spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Oscar Mize.

Mrs. Whitt Moody's daughter, and family of Parma spent the day with her Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Duncan who has been confined to her bed on account of sickness is able to be up again.

Beatrice Mize is spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Glendon Stafford near Commerce. She is better known as Bernice Mize. Bonnie Hough of East Prairie is visiting her sister Mrs. Ollie Lewis and family.

Angie Woodward is home again after having several weeks' employment at Morley.

Mrs. Woodrow Meauers is visiting her mother Mrs. Kenser at May Ridge at this writing.

## ACQUITTED OF MURDER CHARGE AT CHARLESTON

Mrs. Ward DeField was freed

of a murder charge Tuesday by a Mississippi county circuit court jury.

It was not immediately decided if the state would drop a felonious assault charge, also filed when one bullet fired at Mrs. Rosie Rummel, the woman Mrs. DeField was accused of killing, struck and wounded Mrs. Ed Barks, formerly Miss Myrtle Layton, a sister of Mrs. Rummel. Mrs. Barks later recovered.

Mrs. DeFields was represented by Senator J. C. McDowell and his partner, Marshall Craig, who pled at the trial that Mrs. DeField had temporarily lost her faculties because of gossip that connected

Mrs. Rummel's name with her husband's. Twelve witnesses testified concerning Mrs. DeField's good character, while six told of the shooting which occurred in downtown Charleston in 1932.

## Cotton Acreage Increases

Missouri cotton acreage is 2 per cent above that of last year, according to T. F. McDonough, associate agricultural statistician of the United States bureau of agricultural economics. The 1935 average is 325,000 while last July it was 319,000.

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## Personal News of Sikeston

by Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

The Russell-Bradley Missionary Society held its regular monthly meeting at the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, with 26 present. At this time a campaign was put on for enrolled members. Five new members were enrolled, namely: Mesdames Mow, Heath, Putnam, Renner and Cummins. The next month's meeting will also be held at the church.

Mary Ford went to St. Louis, Wednesday, for a visit with relatives.

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Mrs. Tom Meyer, Mrs. Elvira Albers and daughter, Kitty, spent the Fourth at Osceola, Ark., visiting with their daughter and mother, Mrs. Jesse Cramer.

Betty Lou Blue returned to her home at Ava, Ill., last Friday, after visiting here for four weeks with her aunt, Mrs. L. F. Hatfield and family. Jim Hatfield, who spent the Fourth here with his parents, returned to St. Louis, Friday, taking Betty Lou to her home.

Catholic ladies' fried chicken supper, at 6 p. m., Wednesday, July 17.

Mary Helen Wagner and Anna Ellen Felker entertained their Sunday school class on Wednesday evening at the former's home on Matthews avenue. Games were played, with prizes being awarded. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Wagner being assisted by Mrs. Luther Felker. Mrs. Lyman Mitchell, teacher of the class, and the following visitors were also present: Miss Grace Davis, St. Louis; Irma Laura Gray, St. James; Alma Marie and Virginia Phelps and Chalcie Rabb.

Everybody will be welcome at the fried chicken supper which the Catholic ladies will serve at the parish hall Wednesday evening, July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Page were visitors in Fulton, Ky., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark returned to their home in St. Louis, last Saturday, after visiting here last week with their son, Art Clark, and family. Janet Anna Clark, their granddaughter, accompanied them home for a visit of several weeks.

Mrs. Lilly Halter will entertain the Radio club on Monday night at her home, 117 North Handy street. All members of the club are asked to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cowan and daughter, Mary Jane, of Dexter, spent Tuesday here at the L. F. Hatfield home. Margaret Ann Hatfield accompanied them home for a week's visit with Mary Jane.

The following members from the First Baptist church attended the Associational W. M. U. meeting held at New Bethel on Tuesday. Rev. and Mrs. Verne Oglesby, Mrs. D. A. Reece, Mrs. Artie Robinson, Mrs. Mack Higgins, Mrs. Paul Higgins, Mrs. A. B. Moll, Mrs. J. H. Hayden, Sr., and Mrs. Joe Mathis.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Baker spent Sunday at the Washout.

Plan to attend the Catholic ladies' fried chicken supper at the parish hall at 6 o'clock Wednesday, July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Matthews and Mrs. Glen Ashworth of St. Louis expect to leave Sunday for Baltimore, Md., to visit with the ladies sister, Mrs. Edward D. Taylor, Jr. They expect to be away for two weeks, visiting different Eastern cities.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Burns and

sons returned to their home in this city, Wednesday night. They had been at Cape Girardeau the past five weeks, where Mr. Burns had been a patient for 3 weeks at the Southeast Missouri hospital, suffering from acute malaria. The past two weeks, Mr. Burns had visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Burns and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Daugherty, parents of Mrs. Burns. Mrs. Burns and sons remained in the Cape during his getting along nicely and expects to be able to be out next illness. Mr. Burns is now reported well.

The Catholic ladies will offer residents a fried chicken supper at the parish hall at 6 o'clock Wednesday, July 17.

F. E. Mount received a card from Mrs. Mount on Monday, which stated they were at Juarez, Old Mexico. Mrs. Mount, daughter, Miss Lucille, and Miss Electa O'Hara, with Mrs. Chas. Yanson, children, Miss Nell and Charles, and Miss Ruth Bateman, will visit at Los Angeles, with Mrs. W. H. Thomas, Mrs. Janie Kesling and other friends. They expect to be away for five weeks, visiting other cities in California, to Seattle, Washington, Denver, Colorado, and Yellowstone Park.

Larry Hatfield, Jr., of St. Louis spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hatfield.

Mrs. Frank F. Converse arrived home a few days ago after spending several weeks in the western cities. She reports a wonderful time and the weather ideal. On her return home she visited the exposition at San Diego, Calif. The setting is most marvelous in famed Balboa Park's enchanting forest. Miss Nellie Goodman remained with her sister, Mrs. Ann Calvert at Long Beach, Calif.

You may eat a fried chicken supper served by the Catholic ladies at the parish hall Wednesday evening, July 17.

On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Edward Kindred entertained with a party for her son Jimmie, who that day celebrated his fifth birthday anniversary. Games were played, after which refreshments of sherberts, vanilla wafers and strawberry drinks were served. Mrs. Kindred was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Velma Boardman, Mrs. Paul Chaney, Mrs. Ernest Cox and Miss Maud Adams. Those present to help Jimmie celebrate the occasion were: Tommie Boardman, Paul Edward Chaney, Buddy Seabaugh, Wanda Gale Seabaugh, Jerry Wayne Cox, Bob Husher, Betty Husher, Jimmie Terrell, Billie Terrell, Bill Sadler, Billie Ray Pratt, Gene Ray Bryzeal and Buddy Bryzeal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Edwards and children, Hope and Billie, visited with Mrs. Edwards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bennett, at Bloomfield, Sunday.

Miss Suzanne Corrigan and Miss Martha Davis of Poplar Bluff spent the week-end here visiting with the former's grandmother, Mrs. Betty Matthews.

Mrs. T. P. Scherer surprised her daughter Mildred with a party on her eleventh birthday, on Wednesday, July 10th, the following little misses were present: Mary Katherin Steis, Maxine Pratt, Harrietta Lewis, Mary Ann Freward, Mary Helen Trousdale, Geneva Schwab, Bonnie Bell Schaffer, Bizzell, Norma and Maxine Bailey and Mary Elizabeth Frey. Ice cream and cake was served, all the little girls had an enjoyable evening.

An associated Mission study institute will be held at the First Baptist church on next Tuesday, beginning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. S. E. Ewing of St. Louis and Mrs. Post of Bismark will be teachers in the meeting. Mrs. Ewing is chairman of Orphan's Home and State Mission study chairman, while Mrs. Post is chairman of Baptist Woman's League of Missouri. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. It is hoped that a large number from the local church will take the study course.

Miss Elaine Draper returned to her home in St. Louis, yesterday (Thursday) after visiting here several weeks at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Orear.

Mrs. Milburn Arbaugh and son, Joe, returned home from Flat River, Sunday, where they had visited for two weeks with Mrs. Arbaugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sellards.

Amelia Nickles, 28, of St. James Mo., preacher at a church in Hill City, S. D., dropped dead during services after fasting for two weeks. She had declared she would not eat "until the Lord tells me to." She had also predicted that when she died she would return to life.

A new park road leading from the playground to State Highway No. 21 is being built by CCC workers at Washington State Park 10 miles southwest of De Soto, Missouri. Other improvements in the park include trailside improvement and a new service building. The park contains 694 acres and is heavily timbered.

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## CAPE MAN FINED FOR VIOLATING ROAD LAWS

John Stehl, a driver for the Gordon-Ingram Piling Company of Cape Girardeau, was fined \$7.50 and costs Thursday morning when he pled guilty in Judge William S. Smith's court to committing a misdemeanor July 1.

Stehl was arrested on Highway 60 by Harry E. Dudley and charged with operating "a motor vehicle upon the highways of this state which, including load, was greater than 96 inches in width and greater than 40 feet in length and which vehicle was not temporarily transporting agricultural implements or road making machinery or road materials or towing a disabled car and without a temporary special permit issued by the state highway commission." Stehl has been arrested before for the same offense.

Two cases were continued in Judge Smith's court. Tom Sailors is charged with operating a truck without a PSC permit. A hearing for Sailors, who holds a Scott County Milling Company contract for hauling, was set for July 25. C. F. Hamilton a driver for the Arkansas Wholesale Company at Jonesboro, is charged with exceeding the net weight on his trailer license. The case is set for next Thursday.

In Judge Joseph W. Myers' court a case against Everett Walker for driving without a PSC permit was also continued. Walker, a driver for W. R. Daniels, was arrested on Highway 61 June 20. He has been free on a \$200 bond.

## SOFTBALL SCORES

Wednesday, July 10

Cairo Junior C. of C., 14; Sikeston Junior C. of C., 6.

Highway, 15; Sikes, 10.

Miss Freda Lankford entertained Wednesday evening at a six o'clock dinner in honor of her cousin, Miss Geraldine Paschal of Souderton, La. Other guests were Misses Helen Johnson, Mary Ethel Smith, Lillian Belle Taylor, Mildred Williams, Vernetta Smith and Mrs. Paul Higgins.

City Hall Being Remodeled Workmen this week are constructing new partitions on the second floor of the city hall to convert space into additional private offices for district relief and WPA officials.

The ultimate in audacious theft has been disclosed in Chicago. When Municipal Judge Michael G. Kasper went out to lunch he hung his new black silk robe on a peg in his chambers. When he returned it was gone.

Reclamation of fish stranded in drying water holes and ditches in Pemiscot County is being conducted this week by state game wardens, assisted by leading sportsmen of that county. Already some 35,000 fish of various edible varieties have been rescued and placed in streams in which water flows the year round.

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## 2 FARMERS WHO STOLE FLOUR FINED \$10 EACH

Bill Johnson and James Harbison were each fined \$10 and costs when they pled guilty in Judge Joseph W. Myers' court Thursday morning to stealing 150 pounds of flour from the H. & H. grocery Saturday afternoon.

Johnson is the man who was arrested at the air port July 4 after breaking from officers three times. The following morning he was fined a total of \$30. His wife died week before last.

At Thursday's hearing, Johnson was given until Saturday to secure his fine and costs. He was represented by M. G. Gresham, while Harbison, who paid part of his fine and was granted sixty days to secure the remainder, was represented by Robert A. Dempster. Johnson lives on a farm near Tanner. Harbison is a resident of the old John E. Marshall farm about four miles north of here.

Johnson was caught Saturday after he had partly succeeded in a bold attempt to empty the H. & H. warehouse of flour. While Mr.

and Mrs. Robert D. Mow and grocery employees were busy waiting on customers Saturday afternoon, Johnson entered the store hurriedly, and trying to break through groups of people ran into Mrs. Mow. He apologized briefly then rushed to the rear of the store, where groceries are stored and where a lavatory is located.

Soon afterward a negro store employee came to ask Mrs. Mow if she had sold any flour to a young man. Yes, she told him, but the flour was still in the front part of the store. The negro then told Mrs. Mow that he had seen a man carry two sacks of flour out the back door.

Within five minutes, a young man appeared at the desk where Mr. Mow was sitting in the grocery and asked if he might use the bath room. Noticing him, Mrs. Mow said, Why, you're the young man who almost knocked me down. Employees then said the man, later identified as Johnson, was the one who left with flour.

Vehemently Johnson denied taking the flour, saying, you knew me and my father, but traces of

flour on his ears and shoulders betrayed him. While Mrs. Mow called an officer Mr. Mow with difficulty held Johnson in the rear room.

Johnson was arrested by Night Marshal Gid Daniels, who turned him over to Constable W. O. Ellis. Not long afterward, on Johnson's testimony, Ellis arrested Harbison at the latter's home. Harbison at first admitted he had taken the flour, buying it and storing it at the Welter Bake Shop, but denied he knew it was stolen.

During the afternoon Johnson and his companion had managed to escape with at least two 48-pound bags of flour and two 28-pound bags. The Mows are not certain if additional sacks were stolen.

Johnson and Harbison were kept in jail at Benton from Saturday night until yesterday morning.

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## LANDERS RIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence York and daughter of Miner spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fletcher and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Giske and family who live near Cana-lou.

Randolph Kem spent Sunday with Norville Bohannon.

Mrs. Gray and daughter Montell and Myoma, Mildred Loman and Edwyna Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lomax and children spent Sunday near Ristine visiting with the latter's mother, Mrs. Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crossno and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. John Crossno and daughters, shopped in Morehouse Saturday evening.

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SAYS—

The girls comprising the Lions chorus, their trainer, and accompanist, will not make the trip to Mexico City to compete for top honors in the stunts as they have for the past two Lions International. The reason: The Lions did not have sufficient money in their treasury to finance them and did not see their way clear to borrow the balance necessary to carry them there and bring them back in first class shape. You remember our team won first honors at St. Louis in 1933, at Grand Rapids, Mich., in 1934, and were set to win at Mexico City in 1935 should they have attended. This disappointment is very great to the team as they have given their time and talent to entertain all visiting delegations to our city and neighboring cities believing the practice would make them perfect, and the training better fit them for the conquest of all comers in Mexico City. There seems to be just a little something queer about the finances that was supposed to be set aside for this trip as, for one, we were led to believe several hundred dollars were in the treasury for this trip, and with the night club entertainment July 3, when more than eighty tables were sold at \$4.40 each, besides refreshments of every sort that certainly paid the expense attached. Anyway the girls are not going to Mexico City and Miss Bradley, Mrs. Elder and the chorus have had a lot of hard and hot work and given a lemon for it. Besides, Miss Bradley was told by Mr. Beck that it was none of her business when she tried to find out about the night club finances. And now what is to become of the fund these women and girls caused to be accumulated.

Just another specimen of some relief workers. In the Spring a local party on relief was given seed for a garden which was perfectly proper. Now the story goes that the same party is expecting the relief canners to call and put up the vegetables for future use.

My, My, how time does fly. From Paris comes word that Princess Barbara Hutton Haugwitz-Reventhow, who was married but a few short weeks, is expecting the "blessed event" early in the coming year.

President Roosevelt has got a real job ahead of him to tame his membership so they will eat out of his hand and vote for everything he wants just as he wants it. If the House and Senate is to do just as the President orders, why have a House and Senate. Why not do away with these bodies and have a dictator who can give orders and see they are carried out. The President has done a lot for the country, as well as something to it, and the next six months will either make or break him as the Democratic leader in 1936. If he can overcome big interests that are against him, dissatisfied labor unions and those on relief, he will be a wonder indeed.

We wish to thank local subscribers for prompt help paid to a paragraph in our last issue about taking care of their subscriptions. It should not be necessary for us to pay some one to go out and collect small sums due, but is necessary to have the money to continue publishing the paper. If you don't care for "The Standard" pay up and quit.

Research workers of the Stanford University medical school today were endeavoring to learn whether dinitrophenol, newly-developed "antifast" drug, was responsible for causing the temporary blindness of 12 San Francisco Bay district women who have been stricken recently. All of the women, whose names were not revealed had taken the drug in an attempt to reduce.

Three persons who gave their names as Mrs. Gladys Ferrell and her husband, Roy Ferrell, of Mapleton, Ill., and Frazier T. Green, 19, of Timmonsville, S. C., were under arrest at Versailles, Mo., Tuesday, on charges of obtaining money under false pretenses on Missouri old age pension applications. Sheriff Austin Ball, who made the arrests on complaints from Jefferson City, said the three were writing old age pension applications at \$5 each and had sold several in this community. When the law becomes effective, August 27, blanks will be in the hands of a commission of three to be appointed by the county court, who will serve without pay and it will be their duty to assist those entitled to pensions to perfect their applications free of any cost.

Many Sikeston folks travel miles to attend a fish fry and generally get value received along with generous helpings of grass chiggers, ticks and mosquitoes. The fish fry to be given in Malone Park next Friday evening at 6:00 o'clock until all are served will dispense fish fried to a turn, white and corn bread, coffee, pickles and other trimmings to satisfy the appetite. Grass chiggers and their friends the ticks and mosquitoes are not expected to be present. This fish fry is given by the colored Methodist church for their fund and is given for their white friends.

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## Scott Milling Company Protests Processing Tax

The Scott County Milling Company filed suit in the St. Louis federal court Monday asking a temporary writ of injunction to restrain government officials from collecting processing taxes on wheat and from prosecuting the company for violating the agricultural adjustment act, under which the taxes are paid.

The court is expected to rule on the writ within two weeks. If a temporary injunction is granted a hearing will be held later to determine if it should be made permanent. The milling company is represented by Bailey & Bailey.

In its petition, the Scott County concern stated it has paid \$633,226 in processing taxes and owes \$23,650 for May. It attacks the AAA, declaring the act unconstitutional on the grounds that Congress did not have power to impose taxes for private purposes, or to control agricultural production. The petition adds that the tax is an exorbitant levy on one class of persons for the benefit of another and that it is "destructive to lawful business."

On Monday, as well, Albert M. Spradling of the Cape Girardeau law firm of Dearnont, Spradling & Dalton filed for the Cape County Milling Company of Jackson a similar suit, in which it was stated that the concern has paid a

\$317,130 in processing taxes and owes \$30,520. Both suits were directed against Thomas J. Sheehan, collector of internal revenue, and Harry C. Blanton, United States district attorney.

The two suits are the first to be filed by milling companies in the federal court for the state's eastern district but are very like several taken into courts throughout the country. The Washburn Crosby Milling Company, which has filed about twenty-five suits in as many courts, has been granted a temporary restraining order in one at Chicago. Temporary writs have also been granted milling concerns in Seattle and Dallas, and at Boston, one case has been taken to the federal circuit court of appeals. It is probable that federal courts will await a decision, expected this week, before ruling on their own petition.

Millers pay a 30-cent processing tax on each bushel of wheat milled, a tax supposed to be passed on to the consumers. Internal revenue collectors send tax money to the department of Agriculture, which pays it to farmers for cooperating in the government's wheat production curtailment program.

### CITY FILES OUSTER SUIT AGAINST UTILITIES

The city's fight to gain removal of the Missouri Utilities Company will be taken into court again today when attorneys file an ouster suit in the Scott county circuit court for hearing during the August term.

The action will follow unanimous passage by councilmen May 6 of an ordinance for serving notice on the utilities to vacate Sikeston within sixty days. The sixty days ended last Friday.

The city will be represented by Roger A. Bailey and Robert A. Dempster, who will press an action first started in 1931 when the municipal light and water plant was opened.

Since that time the city has been given adverse decisions by the state supreme court, the state public service commission, and the Cole county circuit court.

### SIKESTONIANS INVITED TO DEMOCRATIC RALLY

All Sikeston Democrats are invited to attend a district Democratic dinner and rally here at the Marshall hotel July 19 David E. Blanton said Tuesday. Invitations to the meeting are being sent to numerous Southeast Missouri residents.

Senator Langdon Jones, of Kennett, whose record during recent legislative sessions is enviable, will be one of the principal speakers. Major Lloyd Stark of Louisiana, noted for his fine apples as well as for his leadership in Democratic circles, will be here, said Mr. Blanton. It is probable that he will also speak.

Others invited to attend include Matthew S. Murray of Kansas City, who was recently appointed PWA administrator for Missouri. A large crowd is expected here for the rally. The dinner will begin at 7 o'clock.

### CCC CAMPER SUFFERED ATTACK OF APPENDICITIS

Ralph A. Roney of Chaffee, a member of the CCC camp near Bowling Green, Mo., was taken to Pike county hospital in Louisiana, Monday afternoon for treatment for an attack of appendicitis. After examining Roney, hospital surgeons decided an operation would be unnecessary. They expected to release him in a few days.

### CANNING PROGRAM UNDER WAY IN SCOTT COUNTY

A home canning program has been started in Scott county by eight workers and a supervisor, Miss Audrey Chaney, senior visitor for the county relief organization, said Wednesday.

Mrs. Maggie Jamieson of Tanner, county canning supervisor, gave a demonstration here Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Etta Thompson, and on Wednesday she offered instruction at Vanduser.

Canning workers are Mrs. Mae Harper for Sikeston; Mrs. Hal May for Morley; Miss Thelma Murrell for Blodgett; Mrs. Fay Lufey for Vanduser and Crowder; Mrs. Montgomery for Chaffee; Mrs. Sherfield for Ancell, Formfelt, and Illmo; and Miss Mary Caldwell for Commerce. A worker has also been assigned to Oran.

The workers were hired to train housewives on proper methods of canning fruits and vegetables raised in gardens made possible by the Missouri relief and reconstruction commission.

Canning will be done only in private homes of Scott county this year although about fifty community canning centers are being operated in other parts of the state this summer, Scott county had four in 1934.

### 538 Listed at Employment Office

Five hundred and thirty-eight residents of the Sikeston district listed their names with the national re-employment bureau while it was kept open here during Friday, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday. Two hundred and thirty-seven new registrations were taken; 209 re-interviews; and 92 re-registrations.

### Promoted at Scout Camp

Ben Bowman was given a first class and Shad Old a second class ranking at a court of honor held Sunday afternoon at the area Boy Scout camp in Wayne county. Fifteen second class, nine first class, three star, and eight life rankings and more than 100 merit badges were awarded to thirty-three Scouts.

### C. C. BUCHANAN'S FATHER DIES AT GOLCONDA, ILL.

J. H. Buchanan, the father of C. C. Buchanan, died Wednesday night at this home in Golconda, Ill. He was 89 years old.

C. C. Buchanan was with his father when he died, since he had gone to Golconda Monday after receiving a message that the elder Mr. Buchanan was very ill.

Mrs. C. C. Buchanan will leave this morning to attend the funeral services, which will be held this afternoon at Grand Pier, Ill. Mr. Buchanan was a well known farmer of the Golconda community. He had been inactive since his retirement several years ago. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist church.

Besides C. C. Buchanan, he is survived by nine other children: James Buchanan, Gipson, Ill., J. H. Buchanan, Lusk, Ill., Loren Buchanan, Springfield, Ill., Ulysses Buchanan, Metropolis, Ill., W. R. and Louis Buchanan, Golconda, Mrs. Albert Rector, Raum, Ill., Mrs. T. O. Butler, Pine Bluff, Ark., and a third daughter, Minnie who lives in Peoria, Ill.

### MRS. W. H. SHEWBERT OF MOREHOUSE SUCCEMBS

Mrs. Artie Missie Shewbert of Morehouse died Tuesday at the St. Francis hospital in Cape Girardeau of a complication of diseases.

Funeral services were held at the Morehouse Baptist church at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The Rev. A. C. Sullivan, pastor of the church officiating. Burial was in the city cemetery here.

Mrs. Shewbert was born in Marion, Ky., on February 17, 1872. For the last thirty years she had been a resident of Morehouse, where she was a member of the Baptist church and of the Eastern Star lodge.

She is survived by her husband, W. H. Shewbert; six sons, James, O. D., and Charles Shewbert of Sikeston, Frank and John Shewbert of Los Angeles, Calif., and Sidney Shewbert of Detroit, Mich.; and a daughter, Mrs. Ada Stubblefield of Globe, Ariz. Alt-burial service.

### RESIDENTS INVITED TO STATE ROAD MEETING

All persons interested in roads are invited to attend a meeting of the Citizens' Road Association, which will be held in the Rathskeller room of the Hotel Madison in Jefferson City today (Friday) beginning at 10 o'clock. Luncheon will be served at noon.

Among subjects to be discussed are the proposed use of public works funds for outlying county roads; and an economic survey including graphic charts of recent traffic counts and studies of the state planning board. Engineering school reports will be given on typical counties and officers will be elected and resolutions adopted.

### Russells to Fly to Iowa

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Russell will leave today for Muscatine, Ia., to visit Mrs. Russell's sister for a week. They will fly in Mr. Russell's airplane. When they return, Mr. Russell will open a student's training school, offering residents an opportunity to learn to fly.

## To Present Plan for Movement of Traffic

### JACK EILER BECOMES MANAGER FOR WOLF'S

Jack Eiler of St. Louis arrived here Tuesday to become manager of the Wolf Furniture Company. Mr. Eiler came to Sikeston from a position at one of the leading St. Louis furniture stores. He is well acquainted with all kinds of furniture since he has been in the furniture business for numerous years. Mr. Eiler will be glad if residents visit him at Wolf's.

### ANNUAL LEGION PICNIC WILL BE HELD SUNDAY

Members of the Henry Meldrum Post 114 of the American Legion, their wives, and their children will gather on the Castor river Sunday for an all-day picnic. The picnic grounds will be on the river a few miles south of Fredericktown, in the place used annually by Legionnaires.

### Scouts To Attend Camp

Among Scouts who will leave Sunday to attend the last week of the area camp on the St. Francis river in Wayne county are Loomis Mayfield, Lee Austin Bowman, Gene Klein, John Dover, Charles Graham Lindley, and G. C. Baker, Jr.

### BARREL OF TRASH BURNS

Firemen extinguished with a bucket of water a fire which started in a trash barrel behind the Malone drug store at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The exact origin of the fire is now known. It is thought, however, that the barrel may have contained oil rags, ignited by the sun, or that a cigarette stub was thrown into it. The fire was the first one in Sikeston in a month.

### Fined for Reckless Driving

J. T. Berkler, an Arkansan, was fined \$10 and costs in Judge William S. Smith's court here Monday when he appeared to answer a charge of careless and reckless driving. Berkler was arrested at the intersection Sunday by Constable W. O. Ellis and Deputy Sheriff Ira Shuffitt.

The sun was such a novelty last week to Mrs. S. H. Young of Cape Girardeau, Mo., that when the rays filtered through shingles on the roof of her home, reflected on resin in the wood and caused a red glow, she thought the residence was afire and turned in an alarm.

Miss Shirley Shainberg left Tuesday for a visit with her cousin, Miss Edith Shainberg, in New Madrid. She expects to return home Sunday.

Mrs. George Lee left Tuesday night for Denver, Colorado, Colorado Springs, and Longmont, Colo., to spend the rest of the summer visiting relatives.

Definite plans for relief of traffic congestion here, particularly on Saturdays, are now being formulated by Junior Chamber of Commerce members.

The condition is now not only acute but threatens to become far worse soon they feel, if Sikeston's growth continues at its present rate.

Chamber members are still collecting data on parking space and the flow of motor car and pedestrian travel. When results have been tabulated they expect to present at council meeting suggestions for improvements and alterations of the plan now used.

On June 29, a Saturday, members discovered that 5700 cars passed the corner of Front and North New Madrid streets during a twelve-hour period from 10 a.m. until 10 p.m. Seven hundred and twenty-seven of these cars passed the corner between 8 and 9 o'clock. A count of pedestrians showed that 2239 people crossed that corner going east and west between 8 and 9 o'clock last Saturday evening. Additional motor traffic counts will be taken tomorrow.

The need of easily caring for cars and people at that corner, as well as at others on Saturdays, is great, figures show. Often traffic is halted by large groups of pedestrians crossing the street at once or by car making left turns. Meanwhile automobiles are blocked as far down Front as Kingshighway.

According to tentative plans, junior chamber members will ask the city to install automatic stop signs at the intersections of North New Madrid street with Center,

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Front, and Malone, and of Kingshighway with Front and Malone for use on Saturdays. Further, they may request elimination of left turns on North New Madrid at Front and Center streets and on Kingshighway at Front during Saturdays.

Parking plans will also be submitted by chamber representatives who have been active this week measuring the amount of parking space on principal streets under the direction of their president, Kemper Bruton.

Their findings are briefly these: nine feet driving space would be added to North New Madrid between Front and Center if forty-five-degree-angle parking were replaced by parallel parking; only six fewer cars could be parked on the street under the new plan, a negligible amount when the street would be materially widened and danger at the Front street intersection eliminated by improved visibility north. About forty more cars could be parked on Front street between Kingshighway and Scott street if parallel parking were permitted on both sides; three feet of driving space would be added to the street.

Junior chamber members began a drive to improve traffic conditions by securing permission for use of two Center street lots for parking. Although these spaces are used they are not large enough to relieve existing conditions. Consequently the junior chamber may ask the city to seek the use of two large, vacant lots, both only a block from the business district, one on South Kingshighway and a second on West Front New Madrid street with Center street.

## Two Will Be Hanged For Robbery Murder

Death sentences for Roy E. Hamilton and Dave Eddy, alias, Dave Gayman, who confessed killing Arthur Cashion at a New Madrid filling station on Christmas eve, 1933, were affirmed Thursday by the state supreme court. August 16 was set as the date for execution.

After the opinion was learned and before Gayman and Hamilton were told, officers took the two prisoners to Poplar Bluff where they will probably be kept until the time of the execution. A double scaffold will be built in the New Madrid jail yard for the

county's first hanging in between twenty-five and thirty years.

Gayman and Hamilton pled guilty in circuit court on January 14, 1934, soon after they were arrested at Zalma, but after the date for their hanging had been set for March 3, attorneys requested that the pleas be set aside. This the court refused to do. The supreme court considered the case on an appeal.

The two prisoners have been certain that their appeal would be granted, officers said. Gayman had previously served one term in a federal prison and Hamilton three terms in penitentiaries.

## Pairings Made for Men's City Tennis Tournament

Pairings for the first round of the senior and junior men's tennis singles were announced Thursday by Tharon E. Stallings, chairman of the Junior Chamber of Commerce athletic committee which will sponsor a citywide tournament. The deadline for entrance was Wednesday evening.

Each of the two players bracketed together will be given cards, on which they will write the first game winner's name before leaving them with Jack Lancaster at the H. & L. drug store, where cards may now be secured.

All first round games must be played by July 20 and all second round matches by July 25. The dates for semi-finals and finals will be announced later. Finals will probably be run off some Sunday afternoon.

Courts on which tournament matches may be played belong to Ross Killgore, Frank W. Van Horne, and Mrs. Sam Bowman. Drawings for doubles games will be made as soon as junior Cham-

ber members determine the exact number of entrants in that division of the contest. No women's tournament will be held unless three more enter to make the total number of contestants eight.

Pairings are printed below, first for the senior division and second for the junior.

F. W. Van Horne vs. Billy Keith; D. E. Gasche vs. Kemper Bruton; David Blanton vs. C. D. Matthews, III; Ross Killgore vs. Carl Ross; W. L. Hughes vs. Ewart Taylor;

winner to play W. E. Mahew; Bob Dempster vs. T. E. Stallings; Elbert Morrow vs. John Sikes; Charles McMullin vs. Ward Billy Golladay; George Bartlett Denman; Bob Montgomery vs. Billy Golladay; George Bartlett vs. Bill Van Horne; Clint Denman vs. Kenneth Hocker; H. W. Lowe vs. Clarence Salkil; John F. Wood vs. Edward Allard; Tom Marshall vs. Merlin Taylor; Billy Donnell vs. Z. W. Killgore—winner to play Sam Bowman.

### J. L. JONES DIES IN WEST. BURIAL TO BE HERE SOON

J. L. Jones, a former resident of Sikeston, died Sunday at his home in Santa Clara, Calif. It was learned yesterday. His body is expected here late this week or early next for burial in a Sikeston cemetery. Mr. Jones moved to California twelve years ago after serving as superintendent of the Scott County Milling Company's mill A. His wife will probably remain in Santa Clara. Mrs. Golda Baker, a daughter by a former marriage, lives here with her mother, Mrs. Flora Kunel.

### Files Divorce Suit

A suit for divorce was filed in the circuit court yesterday by Ella Matthews against Ella Matthews. Mr. Matthews charges desertion. The case will be heard during the August term.

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They say there are worse things than death, and if so, one of them is to be served chicken necks, backs and gizzards the day after a big party.

Frank Litchford is 6 feet and an inch or two, strong and husky but it took his wife less than thirty days after marriage to break him to do crocheting, and he seemed to be doing a fair job when caught with the hoops.

David Fields, 66 and blind, is an inmate of the infirmary at Evansville, Ind. His next neighbor is Richard Barrett, 65, and with only one leg. They got into an argument over ownership of a plot of ground and before they could be separate Fields had been slashed with a knife before he knocked Barrett down. Curiously, neither claimed ownership of the disputed ground.

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Persistence of Small  
Groups Caused Growth  
of Christian Church

The Christian church originated and then prospered in the United States at about the beginning of the nineteenth century, when a wave of religious awakening spread throughout the country. No church was completely established here, however, until 1906. The advent of the Christian church came about at a time when numerous other groups separated from older protestant organizations. At very nearly the same time, Edler B. W. Stone of Kentucky and Elders Alexander and Thomas Campbell of Pennsylvania rose up to call for a return to "primitive Christianity." It was their activities which brought about the foundation of the order at first known as Stonites, Campbellites, and Disciples of Christ.

The original purpose of these three elders was to heal divisions in the religious world and to establish a common basis of Christian union. This was to be accomplished by accepting the expressed teachings of the Bible as the only creed. It was soon found, however, that the interpretation of these teachings could not be determined by individuals and so the doctrines of baptism by immersion and baptism for the remission of sins became the distinguishing features of the new sect.

The first teacher of the Christian church doctrines in Missouri was the Rev. William Murtry, a carpenter who came from Virginia and settled in Madison county in 1819. With three members he established a church in a log schoolhouse in 1822, at what was later Libertyville, but at the end of four years he had increased his membership only to nine. Likewise, the church gained a foothold in Southeast Missouri only very slowly, and until 1875 there were only four churches in the district: one three miles east of Fredericktown; one in Ste. Genevieve county in the New Tennessee settlement; a third at Farmington; and the fourth at Libertyville. Ten years later, a few churches were scattered over the district. Most of them were in the northern part, but there were congregations at Malden, Dexter, and Poplar Bluff.

When Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bruton came here in 1904, they found that Sikeston had no Christian church. Only three church buildings were here then: the Methodist on the corner of Center and North New Madrid streets; the

St. Francis Xavier on the corner of Stoddard and Front streets; and the Baptist on South Kings-highway.

Mr. Bruton gives credit for formation of the church to Mrs. Ella Osborn, a sister of Reece Applegate, Mrs. Bruton and Mrs. Townsend Burns, but particularly to Mrs. Osborn. Mr. Bruton was himself unusually active during the strengthening of the congregation.

For a time, the very few Christians living here met in one another's homes for communion. Usually, however, they gathered at the Bruton residence, then near own. Mr. Bruton served as minister, elder and deacon for the small congregation.

Soon, the Rev. Horace Sidrell, a Christian church pastor of Cape Girardeau, came here to organize the Sikeston group, which consisted of twelve members, ten of them women. Mr. Bruton, and George Evans, a brother of Mrs. Albert Wylie, were the only men. The organization meeting was held in the old Baptist church.

When R. E. Bailey moved here with his family from Bloomfield and the E. A. Lawrences came to operate the Marshall hotel, the congregation was happily augmented in number and in spirit.

Abandoning homes for services, members met for services in the city hall and in the old Kendall opera house. But charter members remembered Mrs. Osborn's unceasing efforts to establish the church here, her energy encouraging others when they became weary and discouraged. Now they decided to build a church of their own.

On a lot—the present one at the corner of Trotter and South New Madrid streets—given them by Mrs. Jennie Green, a daughter of Mrs. Catherine Sikes Handy, members managed to erect a one-story tabernacle directly behind the site of the present church building.

The tabernacle was constructed in 1907. A basement for a permanent church structure was started in 1909, but work on the upper part was not begun until 1914, while the Rev. V. B. Lockhart was pastor. The cornerstone was laid in March, 1914, during a sleet and snow storm. At the time, the present Methodist church was standing, but Baptists were finding difficulty in constructing their present church. Residents discouraged the Christians, saying Sikeston was too

small to support two churches. Members of the congregation persisted, however, continuing construction work and seeing after the church was finished, completion of the Baptist church as well.

When the new building was dedicated on June 20, 1915. The Rev. Clarence Burton and the Rev. S. P. Brite adjourned services at the Methodist and Baptist churches so that all residents might join the forty Christian church members at the dedication. Services began at the Sunday school hour under the direction of R. E. Bailey, then superintendent. The dedicatory service was held at 11:30 in the morning; fraternal and memorial services in the afternoon; and additional services of praise and thanksgiving at night. Among the speakers were the Rev. George L. Sniveley, the Rev. Mr. Lockhart and Sikeston ministers, the Rev. Mr. Burton sang, accompanied by Mrs. H. J. Welsh.

Only three of the original members, Mr. and Mrs. Bruton and Mrs. Osborn were present that day. Tribute was paid to Mrs. Catherine Handy for a gift of the lot and to Reece Applegate for his helpful influence not only in the Methodist church, of which he was a member, but throughout the town. At the morning services members of the Ladies' Aid society pledged \$1000 and at the afternoon and evening meetings \$140 was donated, making a sum large enough to pay the church debt and leave a small surplus.

The Rev. I. H. Fuller was pastor when the church was completed. The Rev. R. M. Talbert of Cape Girardeau has been minister here four years, coming after the Rev. E. B. Hensley and the Rev. J. B. Houston. The church now has a membership of 160 and has had no debts for many years. From it have branched groups which later formed the Lutheran and the Presbyterian churches and the Church of the Nazarene.

FAMOUS MUSICAL HIT,  
"SUNNY" OFFERED BY  
MUNICIPAL OPERA

St. Louis, Mo., July 8—"Sunny" a sensational successful musical play, which ran in New York for more than 500 consecutive performances, will be presented for the first time by the Municipal Opera beginning Monday night, July 15th.

A huge show full of tunes, "Sunny" is in two acts. The music is by Jerome Kern, outstanding musical composer, and the book and lyrics are by two well-known theatrical celebrities, Otto Harbach and Oscar Hammerstein II. The play was first produced by Charles Dillingham at the New Amsterdam Theatre, New York, on September 22, 1925.

A brilliant array of Municipal Opera favorites will appear in the cast for "Sunny." Gil Lamb, whose pantomime dancing was distinctive in "Madame Sherry," the Municipal Opera's third week presentation this summer, will return to play the important comedy part of Jim Deering. The late Jack Donohue made the role famous on the New York stage. Lamb has been classed as Donohue's successor.

The name part of "Sunny" will be taken by Marjorie Peterson, whose splendid dancing and acting as Constance Lane in the sparkling musical hit, "Good News," two weeks ago, met with instantaneous approval by the opera goers. Opposite her again will appear Jerry Goff, the handsome young leading man with an excellent barytone voice. Goff will take the principal male lead of Jim Deering.

Gertrude Niesen will appear in the part of Magnolia, while Audrey Christie will take the leading feminine comedy part of "Weenie" Winters. Others to appear in principal parts are John Sheehan, Jane Seymour, Charles Gallagher, Shelia Dille, Roy Gordon, Una Val, Duke McHale, Al Downing, Earle MacVeigh, Victor Casmore and Marion Huntley. "Sunny" is the story of a little English circus girl, Sunny Peters, in a popular bare-back ride. In the days of the great war, Sunny had served as a Red Cross nurse in France and there, with the American troops, she had nursed back to health Tom Warren, a young American officer. They meet again when Warren and his fellow members of the American Legion revisit the battle fields. When her father wants her to marry a man she does not love, Sunny runs away from the circus. She is a stowaway on steamship headed for America with Warren and his friends aboard. Her father also is found on the boat. From then on there is romance, love and comedy.

The song, "Who," which swept the country for a long time and even today is frequently heard on radio and dance programs, originated in "Sunny." Among other catchy tunes in the musical play are "Do You Love Me" and "Two Little Blue Birds."

Following "Sunny," Municipal Opera presents the American premiere of the operetta, "The Beloved Rouge," with music by

Robert Stolz composer of "Two Hearts in Waltz Time." "The Beloved Rouge" was a sensation in Europe, where it was created. A perfect cast will comprise Robert Halliday, Marjorie Peterson, Audrey Christie, Roy Gordon, John Sheehan, Duke McHale, Rosemary Deering, Earle MacVeigh, Al Downing, Shelia Dille, Charles Gallagher, Una Val, Victor Casmore and Marion Huntley.

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## MISSOURI HISTORY

Courtesy Missouri Historical Society

### Steeleville Flood of 1898

Early in the morning of July 8, 1898, thirty-seven years ago this week, the town of Steeleville, the county seat of Crawford county, was devastated by a severe cloudburst and flood. Passing through the center of Crawford county from the Phelps county line on the west, the storm left death and destruction in its path. Thirteen lives were lost; sixty-three homes were demolished; business houses and public buildings were swept away; seven miles of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad tracks were washed out; and

the amount of property destroyed was estimated at \$500,000.

So terrific was the current of the flood that homes and storehouses were swept away as the made of straw. The few store buildings remaining held stocks of goods damaged by the heavy down-pour and by the mud and debris left standing after the water had receded. The Ferguson Hardware Store, the largest and most complete in the district, was entirely swept away, and it was reported that wagons, hay-rakes, mowing machines, and other odds and ends of farming implements were scattered for miles along

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### CHAPTER 6

#### WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

Jean Valjean, fugitive from the French authorities and one Javert in particular, plans to escape once and for all to England. His plans are interrupted by a student's law reform revolt which sweeps over the entire city. He attempts to rescue its leader, young Marius, in love with his ward, Cosette. Javert appears on the scene, decides Jean is the "man higher up," senses his opportunity to right all previous humiliations and goes after him with a vengeance.

#### Free at Last

Jean and Eponine come out. They are in the light for a brief second as they look around cautiously. Javert has the house spotted from an opposite window.

"Valjean! To a gendarme. 'Come on—follow—' that's the man I want."

As they start off, two students fighting with a gendarme emerge from a doorway. Instinctively the gendarme with Javert stops to aid his comrade and Javert goes on alone.

Through narrow streets around dark corners and then up a dozen or so stone steps rush Jean and Eponine.

"Quick! He's following us—get up the stairs—we're there!" gasps Eponine.

Javert arrives just as they disappear into the building. He fires with a command to "Stop!"

The street where Marius and his companions are barricaded is a blind alley. A house nearby is afire and over the barricade of doors, paving

stones, etc., the defenders are firing. One by one. Wounded are strewn about the streets.

Javert is caught in the dead-end passage when a student steps behind him. Joined by others, breathless, disheveled, they bar the way.

"Police! Spy!" is the warning cry. "Spy, possibly; police, certainly," is Javert's calm reply.

"Ha! We've got one of them. The guillotine will run here and now!" shouts one, fingering a wicked-looking blade.

"He's Mine!"

"Let me. This man has persecuted me for ten years—he's mine!" It's Jean's voice.

"Do it then!" The knife is thrust into his hand.

"I'll do it as it was done in the galleys—the pistol in the mouth."

Cries in the distance attract the others and they rush off, leaving Jean and Javert alone. Jean turns to his old enemy, his thoughts flooded with revenge.

"Now, Javert, the hunt ends."

"End it then."

"It had to be one of us. You hounded me; you pursued me—it's you who drive me to this—you and your law!"

"Do your part. I've done mine. I stand by everything I've done. I take what comes."

Jean can't bring himself to do it. There is a terrific struggle going on within him. He shakes his head.

"Go, before the others do what I can't."

"You fool, you know what'll happen. I shall take you in the end. You know I will—you know I must. I can't help myself—I am what I am."

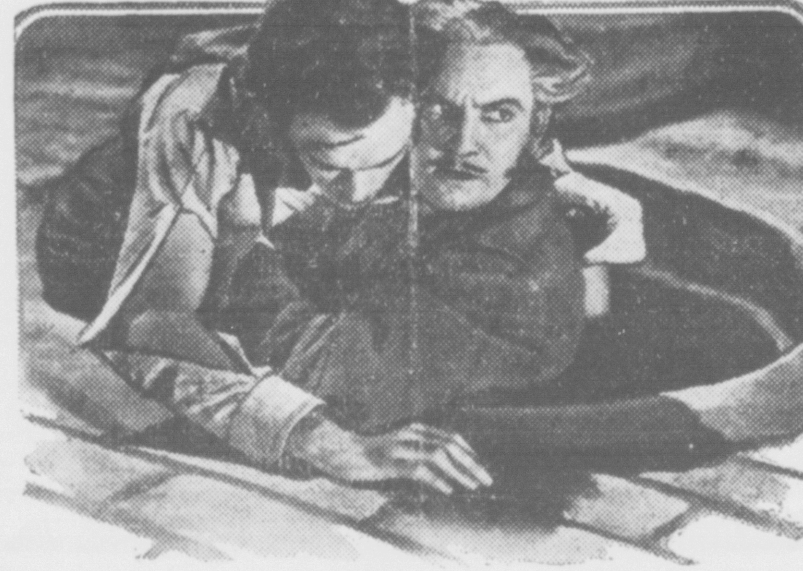
"I take what comes. Go!"

Jean remains looking after Javert then fires the pistol into the air. He returns to the barricade. Eponine tries to pull him down from his exposed position and herself falls dead.

Mounted gendarmes begin to attack with drawn sabres. There is a scuffle. Marius is felled with a blow on the head. Jean pulls him down through a half-open manhole into the sewers, picks up the unconscious boy and staggers along down the tunnel in water up to his knees.

Marius comes to enough to nod to Jean and flounder along himself.

THE END



Jean pulls Marius through the manhole into the sewers

him, overcome with emotion. He moves over to Marius with her.

"Love each other—there's scarcely anything more in the world but that. Remember, as was once told me—Life is to give, not to take. What I give—take, and give again."

The door clicks and he is gone. It is over. He has given up Cosette and now he has to face the other—the galleys. He tries to move to the door to the street, but his strength cracks and he drops to one knee.

"Father of all—I've done what I could—take what You will—I've given all I can—I'm ready!"

With a great effort he rises and marches towards the open doorway to the street, his hands in front of him, his wrists drawn together to receive Javert's handcuffs, his eyes half-closed, repeating in a whisper the word "Give!"

Javert Disappears

But there is no Javert. The moonlit street beyond is empty. To Jean it is unbelievable—Javert is gone. He has left him. We can almost hear the voice of the old bishop over the scene. "Well done, my son. Well done!"

His eyes go up to the heavens—to the voice—his face lights up with a smile as if the whole soul were lifted—at last he is free.

Excited cries—"Down here! Down here! Hurry!" snap him out of his trance. Through a narrow opening in the street opposite is an alley leading to the river. There is a small crowd gathered—others are coming up.

Jean pulls himself together and as if drawn by a magnet races to the scene.

"What is it?"

"Suicide—must be—"

"I tried to stop him," adds another onlooker, "but he pushed me away and jumped in—The river's in flood."

Still another, "Look! It's a policeman's cloak."

A gendarme takes it and looks it over. Jean immediately recognizes it as Javert's. He turns and looks at the river. The water is swirling past. He now realizes that Javert has left him for good. He is free indeed—free to go back to Cosette and Marius.

THE END

the river bank. The best and most used law library in the county, belonging to Judge A. U. Farrow, was completely destroyed.

Streets were blocked with walls of houses, fences, trees, and shrubs, and great holes were washed in streets, lawns, and lots.

Household goods, not wrecked or destroyed by falling walls and houses, were ruined by floods of water, sand and mud. Many of the citizens had narrow escapes from death, and were rescued hours afterward from trees in which they had sought refuge.

Railroad and telegraph lines were completely cut off, and for two weeks the stricken town was unable to make an appeal for aid

of their neighbors generously shared their resources, but in the two weeks time nearly all available food was gone and the town was in a paralyzed condition. Illness and fever became prevalent and the towns-people were in as great danger from disease as they had been two weeks before from the flood.

The first appeal for outside aid was made to Governor Lon V. Stephens, and his response in the form of a proclamation to the people of Missouri brought assistance not only from the surrounding counties but from the entire state.

Relief organizations were formed, and lodges and organizations in towns and cities generously contributed to the relief of Steeleville. Before the month was over, Steeleville was slowly and painfully recovering. Business houses were refinanced and re-stocked; homes were re-built; and as far as possible, activities were resumed where they had been so abruptly halted a few weeks before.

Work was begun on the railroad immediately, but was soon discontinued as the officials decided to build the new road along the ridge route where future danger of floods would be less imminent.

Today, the town of Steeleville is again a thriving Missouri town, located in the heart of Crawford county—a county of good roads, many beautiful streams well stocked with fish, and the Onanaga cave, the "Mammoth Cave of Missouri". Luxuriant grasses furnish excellent dairyland advantages. Here also stock raising is carried on extensively, some of Missouri's prize-winning herds of sheep and cattle are produced in Crawford county, and fruit-growing and "truck" farming are extensively followed.

TO HAVE PRELIMINARY ON MURDER CHARGES

The arrest of Bud Greece in Danville, Ill., this week brought the total number of men suspected of murdering E. P. McCutcheon at Bird's Mill July 3 to four.

Others are C. V. Williams, a Charleston insurance agent who issued two \$2500 insurance policies to McCutcheon; Albert Vowels of Wyatt, operator of a store in which McCutcheon was last seen by witnesses the day of the murder; and Big John Brightman, a Wyatt negro who was in the store with Vowels and McCutcheon.

Vowels and Williams are now free on bonds of \$1000 each and Greece and Brightman are in jail. They are all scheduled to have preliminary hearings Tuesday on charges of murder and conspiracy.

McCutcheon was killed, it is thought so that money could be collected on his insurance policies, both of which named McCutcheon's estate as beneficiary.

Five reliable people have stated they were offered \$700 to kill McCutcheon. Sheriff J. O. King said Mrs. McCutcheon told officers her husband feared he might be killed after he had taken out one of the policies. King said the four men implicated allegedly contributed \$200 to pay back premiums on the policies before the murder.

McCutcheon's body was found in a road July 4, a bullet wound in his back. He had evidently been slain as he was returning home the afternoon before from work on a levee project.

SALCEDO RESIDENT DIES

Troy Jordan, 18-year-old Salcedo resident, died Monday of colitis. Short funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Gus Williams at the Bernie cemetery, where the body was interred Tuesday afternoon. Jordan is survived by his wife, Mrs. Margaret Jordan; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jordan; a brother, Lloyd Jordan; and five sisters, Mrs. Duva Caulty, Mrs. Minnie Owens, Mrs. Ruth Stroud, Mrs. Ruby Ross, and Mrs. Oma Huddleston. Welsh service.

"FIVE, TEN—AND UP," Geo. Allan England's Gripping Story of Love, Diamonds and Mystery, begins in The American Weekly, the Magazine distributed with NEXT SUNDAY'S HERALD AND EXAMINER.

Eight years ago Marmaduke B. Wright of Pelham, N. Y., was told by several physicians that he had only 36 hours to live. He arranged for his own funeral and paid for it in advance, and while he waited for death his friends came a droves to condole with him. But he didn't die. During the interim he has celebrated his golden wedding, drawn quarterly interest on the advance payment for his funeral and has attended burial services for 34 friends who grieved with him on his approaching demise.

LOST FAT Fooled Gossipers

Mrs. J. R. McCausland of Pittsburg writes: "I took off 8 lbs. in two weeks with Kruschen. I ate as usual and feel fine." You, too, can safely reduce as Mrs. McCausland did if you'll only have a mind of your own. Pay no attention to gossipers who would not want to see you the slender woman you can be if you'll only take a half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a cup of hot water every morning. Tastes fine with juice of half lemon added.

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Dorothy Smith of Muskegon, Mich., is 11 years old and has kept her broken bone average

even with her years. Afflicted with bones that snap under the slightest strain, she has been recuperating from fractured legs, ankles and arms ever since she was four days old, when her right leg was broken.

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Arrive Friday afternoon and stay until Sunday afternoon, or come Saturday afternoon and leave Monday afternoon... yours will be a round of sightseeing and pleasure... and \$12.50 per person (2 persons in a room) will cover it all!... tickets, hotel accommodations, meals... everything! (except transportation)

The first night after dinner, a boat trip on the Mississippi River... next morning after breakfast, time to shop or tour the city... that afternoon after



# SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR



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Geo. Gray, of Vienna, Ill., was a Sikeston visitor Wednesday and in company with Judge Carter paid The Standard office a short visit. He has been engaged as manager to put on the Caruthersville Fair again this year and save the directors a lot of time and make the fair a success.

The lemon was introduced into the United States by Spanish adventurers and ever since they have been handed out in different forms and shapes.

**COMPLY WITH BANKHEAD ACT**  
Cotton Growers Apply for Their Marketing Allotments

More than one-third of the 20,000 cotton growers in Missouri and Illinois have filed applications for their allotment certificates for ginning and marketing cotton under the Bankhead Act.

The deadline for applications was Wednesday. The certificates will be available by the middle of August. This information reached New Madrid County Agent Leslie Broom this week in an official report from S. E. Rhode, executive secretary for the two states.

In carrying out the Bankhead plan for control of the cotton surplus the Agricultural Adjustment Administration has the overwhelming endorsement of the growers themselves, who expressed their wishes in the recent Bankhead referendum. The vote of contract signers and non-signers in Missouri endorsed the Bankhead Act by a majority of slightly more than 5 to 1. The vote in the cotton belt at large was equally decisive.

Producers who obtain marketing certificates under the Bankhead Act are furnished tax exempt certificates to the amount of their allotment, with which they pay the ginning tax on their cotton up to the total allotted to them. On any excess above their allotment they are required to pay the ginning tax when the cotton is ginned.

The tax on the ginning of cotton for the 1935-36 cotton season, which begins the first of August, has been set at 6 cents per pound for all cotton in excess of allotments.

The determination of the tax is established under the law as one-half of the average price on ten designated spot cotton markets for a representative period. This base price has been determined by the Secretary of Agriculture as being 12 cents per pound, which automatically fixes the tax itself at 6 cents per pound. The price for the 1934-35 season was found to be 11.34 cents, which placed the tax at 5.67 cents per pound. The price is figured on the basis of 7-8 middling spot cotton.

The markets designated for determining the average price were: Augusta and Savannah, Ga.; Dallas, Houston and Galveston, Tex.; Little Rock, Ark.; Memphis, Tenn.; New Orleans, La.; and Norfolk, Va.

Walter Fletcher, 80, of Lucas, Ohio, has decided to retire. He has been Mayor of the town for 19 years and has been a member of the Town Council and school Board almost since he attained his majority.

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## Liver and Gall Bladder

Almost invariably spinal abnormalities will be found in liver and gall bladder diseases. Many cases of liver and gall bladder disorders have been corrected by mechanical manipulative treatment, based on correcting spinal and muscular abnormalities affecting the nerve and blood supply. My natural methods correct structural defects and helps nature get you well.

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# THE CHURCH WORLD

**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH**  
Hours of Masses:  
Sundays—7:30 and 9:30.  
Daily Mass—7 o'clock.  
Morning service—11:00 o'clock.  
Fr. Thos. R. Woods

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday school—9:45 o'clock  
Morning Worship—10:45.  
Choir Practice—1st and 3rd Thursday.  
2nd Friday.  
Women Bible Class—4th Tuesday.

R. M. TALBERT, Pastor

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Sunday school—9:30 o'clock.  
Morning worship—11:00 o'clock.  
Young Peoples meeting—6:45.  
Prayer Meeting—7:30 o'clock, Wednesday evening.  
E. T. Fowler, pastor.

**DELTA RHO CLASS TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE**

The Delta Rho Class of the First Baptist church will have a rummage sale in the Agoda Hall Saturday, July 13. The public is invited.

## Personal And Society Items From Morley

Mrs. Josephine Watson went to Chaffee Friday to visit at the homes of Ray and Henry Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bryant returned to their home in St. Louis Saturday after a week's visit here among relatives.

Eloise Stallings of Cape Girardeau was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stallings.

Leonard Vaughn was brought to his home here Tuesday after 9 days at the S. E. Missouri Hospital, following an operation. He is improving nicely.

Mr. J. O. Huffstader of Portageville was an over night guest at the G. D. Harris home last Wednesday.

Mrs. Lottie Leslie and grandson Joe Leslie, went to Fredericktown Saturday to spend the night at the R. H. Leslie home.

Jesse Stowe returned home Memphis Wednesday night where he had been at the bedside of his wife who had a Gallstone operation at a Memphis hospital, June 29. She is slowly improving.

Elden Stallings left last Wednesday for Raleigh and Clayton, N. Carolina to visit relatives for 2 weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ferguson, Jr., and baby returned Sunday from Rector, Ark., where Mrs. Ferguson and baby spent a month with her parents.

Leroy Cox is spending this week with his sister, Mrs. Leonard Seabough of Cape Girardeau. Geneva and Veda May Foster, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foster are visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Miss Anne Tomlinson of Malden is a guest at the C. A. Stallings home for two weeks.

Mrs. Emma Gross was called to Kennett last week by the illness of her daughter.

Mary Elaine and Kathryn Lee McDonough are visiting at the A. V. Eachus home at Cape Girardeau this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bess and daughters of Flat River and Mrs. Howard Miller and children of Farmington were week-end guests of their mother, Mrs. Flora Daugherty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith went to St. Louis Monday morning to visit relatives.

The monthly S. S. Convention of Charleston Association was held here at the Baptist church Friday night. 5 churches were given by the Junior Department.

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## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Morning Worship—9 o'clock.  
Sermon by the pastor.  
Sunday School—10 o'clock.  
Christian Endeavor—7 o'clock.  
Evening Worship—8 o'clock.  
Sermon by the pastor.  
Rev. D. D. Ellis, Pastor.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school—9:45 o'clock.  
Morning Worship—11 o'clock.  
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Getting Acquainted with God".  
Epworth League—6:45 o'clock.  
Evening Worship—7:45 o'clock.  
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The True Test of Christianity".  
Rev. E. H. Orear, pastor.

of Charleston, Miss Alice Farris of Charleston is president.

The date for the Methodist picnic is July 20, and everybody is urged to come. Plenty of amusement furnished.

Mrs. R. L. Harrison and son Lyman, of Benton visited the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Harris, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Shorter and Mrs. C. C. Bryeans of Terre Haute, Ind., and Mrs. Roy Crawford of Little Rock, Ark., are visiting their mother, Mrs. Dora Congleton this week.

Mrs. Harris Foster and children of Cape Girardeau were Morley visitors Tuesday.

## MISSOURI FACTS

Corn is King in Missouri.

Missouri is first in flavor of apples.

Missouri is a soft red winter wheat state.

The Missouri mule has an international reputation.

Missouri is one of the five leading hog states of the Union.

Missouri has the oldest fruit tree nursery in the United States, one of the largest in the world.

Missouri is the only state having three big primary grain markets—St. Joseph, St. Louis, and Kansas City.

Gentry county, Missouri, grows more heavy bluegrass seed than any other county under the American flag.

Missouri has the nationally-known tobacco market at Weston in Platte county—it is noted for its product.

Half the counties in Missouri have grown more corn than any one of half the states of the nation.

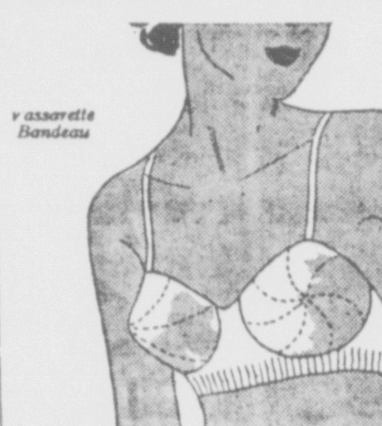
Missouri ranks first in diversified agricultural production among the states of the United States.

One of the largest meat packing centers on the globe is located in Missouri—at Kansas City.

Missouri has at its state university one of the best known college herds of Jersey cattle in the world, from point of butter production.

Missouri is the home of one of experiment stations in this section the largest state-owned poultry tion of the world—Mountain Grove.

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## States Ask Federal Government To Cease Taxing Motor Fuel



Legislatures of 21 states, as indicated by shading on the map, have adopted memorials demanding that the federal government end the duplicating federal tax on gasoline June 30th, 1935.

WASHINGTON, D. C. — State governments are asking the Federal government to get out of the gasoline tax field and to stay out!

Memorials adopted by legislatures of 21 states call for elimination of the duplicating federal tax upon gasoline at the legal expiration date June 30 next. Elimination has been recommended also by the Senate Finance Committee and by

other Congressional committees. A State objection to the tax is based largely upon the fact that it invades a state tax field and handicaps state efforts to finance highways. Revenue from the Federal levy never has been earmarked for roads.

The Federal gasoline tax cost consumers more than \$170,000,000 in 1934 alone. Since 1917 highway users have paid in this, and other

## RECOVERY NOTES

Compiled by Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State.

Building activity in the City of St. Louis for the first six months of this year was 37 per cent above the volume for the same period in 1934. Building construction during the first half of 1935 amounted to \$3,608,105 as compared with \$2,627,592 for the same period last year.

The market appraisal of 100 representative common stocks listed on the New York Exchange advanced 5.9 per cent, or \$789,023,000 during June, according to the monthly compilation of Frazier and Co. Motor car companies made the largest gain, 9.6 per cent, of any special class.

Cash income to farmers from sales of farm products plus government benefit payments totaled \$520,000,000 in May of this

year, the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture announces. This compares with an income of \$560,000,000 in April and \$438,000,000 in May, 1934.

Pay rolls of the steel industry in May aggregated more than \$600,000 above April, the American Iron and Steel Institute announces. Total pay rolls for the month were \$46,493,536, as compared with \$45,890,244 in April.

Postal receipts at the Jefferson City, Mo., post office continue to increase, according to Postmaster A. Linxwiler. For the three-month period ending June 30 they amounted to \$80,010, a gain of \$4,325 over the same period of 1934.

Residential building awards continue to show encouraging improvement over the total for 1934. The F. W. Dodge Corporation reports. The volume reported in the 37 states east of the Rocky Mountains during the first half of June

amounted to \$25,779,200, almost equal to the full month of June, 1934. The May residential contract total was about 6 per cent greater than in April and about 80 per cent ahead of the residential volume recorded for May, 1934.

President Roosevelt has made \$91,000,000 of the \$480,000,000 New Deal employment fund immediately available for rural rehabilitation and aid in stricken agricultural areas.

Eleven applications for loans and grants totaling \$440,208 have been filed with the Missouri offices of the PWA in St. Louis during the last few days. Cassville is seeking \$48,604 for a sanitary system and sewage disposal plant; Pilot Grove wants \$36,500 for a new waterworks and \$31,000 for a sewage system; Galena is asking \$30,000 of PWA funds for a new water plant, and a New Madrid County drainage district

is requesting a grant of \$62,824 to pay for restoration of drainage districts to their original capacity.

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company reports net profits of \$5,980,637 for the first five months of the current year. This is an increase of 15.3 per cent over the \$5,183,215 in the corresponding period of last year. Dividends requirements during the period were earned nine times over.

For the week ending June 22, lumber shipments in the United States gained 7.5 per cent over those of the preceding week, according to the National Lumber Manufacturer's Association.

More than \$200,000,000 of the \$480,000,000 public works fund will be expended in the construction of farm-to-market roads, Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, announces. This amount is expected to take 1,000,000 men off of relief rolls in the rural areas of the country.

Placements made by the St. Louis office of the Missouri State Employment Service numbered 259 during the week ending June 29. Of this number, 154 were in private employment and 105 in public employment. Registrations for work during the week numbered 5,741 as compared with 6,130 in the preceding week.

Largely unaffected by adverse seasonal influences, a majority of business sections indicated a quickening of operations during the week ending June 22. The Administrative and Research Corporation's weekly index of business trends increased to 76.6 for the week as compared with 74.6 for the previous week and 72.1 for the corresponding week last year.

Sikeston Standard, \$2.00 a year.

## OUTSTANDING EVENTS IN U. S. NAVAL HISTORY

War With Spain—April 25, 1898 United States becomes a World Power. The causes of the war were: Spanish cruelty to Cubans seizure of American ships on the pretext that they were violating Spanish customs regulations in Cuba, and the destruction of the U. S. S. Maine. War was declared on April 25, 1898, and peace was signed December 10, 1898. As the results of the war, Spanish sea power was destroyed and the United States became a world power, Spain relinquished claim to Cuba, ceded to the United States the islands of Porto Rico and Guam, and sold to the United States the Philippine Islands for 20 million dollars. The only American naval officer to be killed in action was Ensign Worth Bagley, who was killed during the Battle of Cardenas, May 11, 1898, on board the U. S. Torpedo Boat Winslow.

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BARREL LOTS  
HOME OIL COMPANY  
1 Block East Shoe Factory  
On Highway 60

# LAIR STORE NEWS

"That Interesting Store"

## HOUSE FURNISHINGS

Our 37th Year in Southeast Missouri

## NEW ADDITIONS

Our farmer friends may be interested in the fact that we now have the sale of Electrolux Kerosene Refrigerators. Convenient terms of payment may be arranged by those who are not in position to part with all cash at one time. So far as we can learn the Electrolux gives wonderful service—in fact as good or better than many electrics. They are beautiful in appearance and best of all cost only a trifle to operate. There are no moving parts to get out of order. Call and see the newest Electrolux.

## STILL ANOTHER TOP NOTCHER

Coleman Instant-Gas Ranges are also new additions to our mammoth stock and the heat they produce on a small amount of fuel is remarkable. 'Tis hardly necessary for us to brag on a Coleman product because most housekeepers who read know about their wonderful qualities. Just want to let you know we have them, and can sell on weekly or monthly terms if you want them that way.

## BARGAINS IN USED ITEMS

Six foot General Electric Refrigerator—looks well and is in good running order—see it promptly if interested. Six or eight real good ice refrigerators—some of them porcelain lined. Beautiful walnut bedroom suits of 3 pieces—two living room suites in fine order—one eight piece dining set—nice five piece breakfast set—two high grade Florence ranges almost like new—a lot more smaller pieces—second floor.

## SEE OUR WINDOWS THIS WEEK

In the west section you will note a beautiful burl walnut bedroom suite that is an unusual value for one hundred "smackers". The settings around it are harmonious and at reasonable cost. Next to that you will marvel at the lovely Sealy Mattresses in different styles—all comfortable and inviting to tired bodies—and on the east side we are especially proud of the showing of International Hooked Rugs made by the Firth mills. If you like to window shop on nice home furnishings take a look at our display.

## IF YOU KNEW WHAT WE KNOW—?

Most electric refrigerators are similar in appearance but tear down a genuine Frigidaire and you will find every item of construction is the best that money can buy. We KNOW these things because we have been shown. We also know there are many people in and around Sikeston who are holding off owning a Frigidaire because they think they "can't afford it." The fact is they "can't afford" NOT to own one when payments are as low as 15c, 20 and 25c a day. Ice money goes in small sums and what have you to show for it? See our Frigidaire models. Some of them have special trade in privileges on used goods.

## NO EXAGGERATIONS

Our salesmen are cautioned against wild claims of superiority—"miracle" merchandising and other forms of wind work. We are proud of our store and believe we can serve patrons of this section to good advantage. Energy and industry in the force bring this about rather than any false propaganda that may be circulated.

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THE ONLY HAT JOHN BUCKLER, COLUMBIA PLAYER, WEARS IS AN OPERA TOPPER-AND THAT'S BORROWED!

FRANKLIN PANGBORN'S GREATEST THRILL WAS WHEN A SEAL WALKED INTO HIS DRESSING ROOM.

TO RUSH CORN-HOG CHECKS State-Approved Contracts Are Sent to Washington

Missouri is making progress in the auditing of the 1935 corn-hog contracts—the final step preceding actual disbursement of the first rental and benefit payments to cooperating farmers. The number of Missouri contracts audited, approved, and sent to Washington up to the closing hour Saturday night was approximately 4000, according to J. W. Burch, assistant director of the Agricultural Extension Service.

On the basis of customary speed in handling contracts, the actual distributing of the first 1935 corn-hog payments will get under way by the end of July. Boards of review in all states were directed June 28 to immediately transmit to Washington all contracts completed and approved as of that date. They have been further directed to continue the flow of additional contracts to Washington as fast as contracts are approved.

Recent reports from the 48 states have indicated that nearly 300,000 corn-hog contracts would be ready for transmittal to Washington this week. It is believed that an additional 500,000 contracts will arrive in Washington before the end of July. The remainder of the 1,032,500 contracts under preparation is expected in August and early September.

The corn-hog payments under the 1935 corn-hog contract will total about \$185,000,000 and will be paid in two installments. The first installment, representing roughly one-half of the total, will be paid this summer as soon as the contracts have been audited and accepted for payment by the Secretary of Agriculture. The second installment will be paid on or after January 1, 1936.

With less than one percent of the second payments and less than three per cent of the final payments under last year's program yet unpaid, the Administration is ready to begin distribution of the 1935 payments, according to Washington officials. The remaining unpaid contracts under the 1934 program can be handled along with the new contracts. In practically all of these unpaid cases, the delay in payment has been due to irregularities requiring additional checking and everything possible is being done to clear them up. On June 29 a total of \$297,342,177.42 had been paid to farmers participating in the 1934 corn-hog program.

TIMELY INFORMATION ON INSECTS, THEIR CONTROL

Fly Control

In controlling house flies or flies around the barn, one should first of all do everything that is practical to eliminate their breeding places. Another very important step in fly control is the use of good screens. Every home should have adequate screens to keep the flies out. It is often practical to use screens around the dairy barn to a good advantage. Fly paper and fly traps may also be used to a good advantage in many places. Fly sprays are very helpful but one should not expect the use of fly sprays to solve their fly problems. They can be depended upon to do their part in the control work but they should not be expected to do it all. Sprays used as a mist spray in rooms will kill many flies if the room can be closed up tightly for a few minutes. When used on livestock the sprays should be directed at the flies and not too much at the stock and the animals should not be groomed too soon after treatment.

A good fly spray may be made up by using pyrethrum extract at the rate of one pint of the extract to 19 pints of high grade kerosene. The extract may be purchased at most chemical houses, and the kerosene can be secured at most gas stations. If a special odor is

sprays to the plants at a 10-day interval shortly after the young tomato fruits have reached the size of a small marble. This worm is the same as the corn ear worm. On sweet corn the worms may be reduced in number considerably by dusting the silks of the ears when they first appear with sulphur and calcium arsenate mixed in equal parts. The calcium arsenate may be used as the spray or as a dust on the tomato plants. This same arsenical may be used on beans to prevent the corn ear worm from eating a small round hole in the pods of the bean and then destroying the young beans inside the pods.

Cabbage Worms

The green worm that eats in the cabbage plants may be controlled very effectively and the plants will in no way be injured for human consumption. One can use calcium arsenate as a dust and it will give good control of the worms. The cabbage head grows from the inside and since the other leaves are cut away no exposed parts of the head are in contact with the arsenical. Cabbage plants should be watched carefully and dusted regularly if a severe infestation shows up.

PAINT CAN LEAD TO BIG SAVINGS

"The city of Sikeston can properly save \$210,000.00 through property conservation by timely application of paint," said J. A. Young, chairman of the Sikeston Better Housing Program Committee. "My estimate," said Mr. Young, "is based upon data compiled by a prominent authority. He estimates that the possible annual conservation of property by paint totals \$3,445,000,000. This is \$30 per capita. I multiplied the population by 30 to get my estimate of \$210,000.00."

"Any citizen who examines his property for the purpose of finding places which need paint will be taking an important step in cooperation with the modernization campaign. Such a survey will undoubtedly reveal to him many needed repairs in the fundamental structure or equipment of his home or business property."

"The following check list for the property owners contemplating remodeling has been suggested by the chairman of the national code authority for the paint, varnish and lacquer manufacturing industry:

1. Repair exterior, giving special attention to metal work, roof, window and door frames, porch floors, and steps.
2. Have exterior surface of house carefully prepared for repainting before coating begins.
3. Refinish bathroom, kitchen, and laundry ceilings, walls, and woodwork, using gloss paint to repel steam and grease.
4. Recoat linoleum floors with lacquer or wax.
5. Decorate walls and ceilings of rooms other than Kitchen, bathroom, and laundry, with dull finish surface coating, using pale tints on ceilings to reflect all possible light.
6. Refinish trim, windows, and doors with paint, enamel, stain, or varnish.
7. Scrape clean, refinish badly marred floors, using products manufactured for the purpose.
8. Paint lighting fixtures and switch plates to match trim or walls.
9. Coat cellar walls and floors to repel moisture and modernize basement.
10. Paint basement stairs light color so they'll be clearly visible.

HOME OIL COMPANY TO SELL EL RICO GASOLINE

The Home Oil Company has been appointed distributor for the Mississippi Valley Oil Company of St. Louis, a firm which supplies El Rico gasoline to the various stations of the state highway department. Officials of the Home Oil concern will also supply customers at their station with this gasoline.

Negro Constable Dismissed

The commission of S. L. Holmes a negro special deputy constable for Sunset addition, was revoked and returned to Judge Joseph W. Myers Tuesday. Holmes was appointed January 9 of this year by Constable W. O. Ellis. He was dismissed because he flourished a large gun and was overbearing.

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Late Model Used Cars Traded in on V-8 Fords

1930 Chevrolet Coupe	\$ 50.00
1930 Chevrolet Sedan	\$175.00
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1934 Chevrolet Knees Coach	\$450.00
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200 Pairs Ladies' Slippers in whites, two-tones, blues, greys, brown and blonde. Pump, strap and ties. Values from \$4.00 to \$6.00. SPECIAL AT \$1.95

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All \$5.85 to \$7.50 choice Marlene and Fashion Plate Ladies' Slippers in the pick of all the best styles \$3.45

One table of Men's Oxfords in Two-Tone Tan, Black and White, Brown and White, \$5.00 values. \$1.95 and \$2.95

All Poll Parrot and Star Brand Children's Slippers 20% Off

LADIES' TOELESS and MIRACLE SANDALS White, Blue, Red and Brown Values \$2.50 and \$2.95 \$1.95

## In Our Bargain Basement

200 Pairs of Blonde Slippers, Pumps, Straps and Sandals \$3.50 to \$5.00 values, now per pair 50c

SPECIAL! 100 Pairs Children's Slippers whites, blacks, tans. 50c

ONE LOT LADIES' WHITE AND BEIGE SANDALS 98c

LADIES' WHITE SANDALS \$1.39

Ladies' Star Brand White Oxfords and Straps \$1.49

Children's White Oxfords, sizes 10½ to 2. 98c

Children's White T-Strap Slippers, 12½ to 2½ \$1.19

## Special Lot of Cotton Wash Dresses

Including sheers, broadcloths, prints, plaids and stripes. Sizes 14 to 50. Fast colors.

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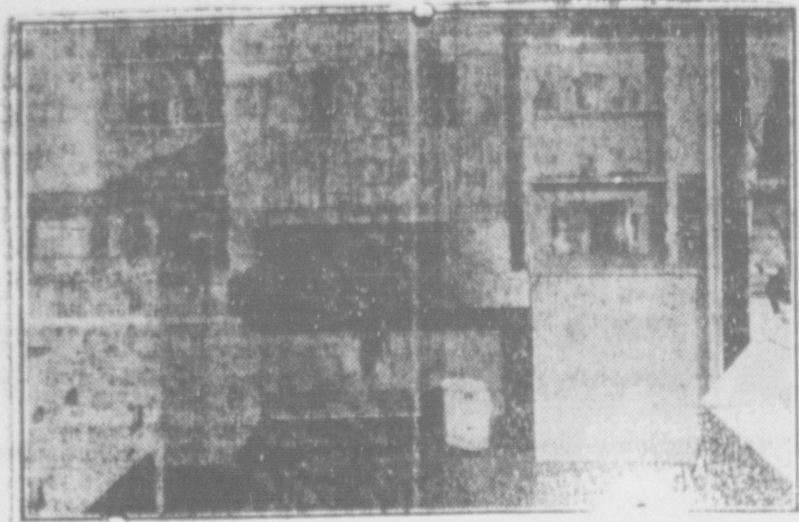
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## More Efficient Kitchens for County Farm Homes



Hundreds of Scott County women have longed for the day when they could have the handy, efficient kitchen they have long dreamed about. In some cases, these "new" kitchens will become a reality in 1935.

It is often possible to modernize the farm kitchen with a surprisingly small amount of expense.

It is not always necessary to change the arrangement of walls, so long as there is light enough. The modernized kitchen above shows the window above the sink. This is a happy arrangement and one which most farm women prefer. In this case, it is no longer necessary to look at a blank wall during the countless hours of kitchen work at or near the sink.

Light, neutral tones in the kitchen are easiest to live with and on the whole, easier to keep clean, as well. Gay curtains and bright pots and pans appear to much better advantage against plain, light walls.

The Twice-A-Week Skeston Standard, in co-operation with Successful Farming (published at Des Moines, Iowa) will furnish ideas and suggestions concerning home modernization to those who use the coupon below. And it might be well for you to note the home modernization messages of Skeston merchants as presented on this page.

### THE SKESTON STANDARD SKESTON, MISSOURI.

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### SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER GENERAL EXECUTION

Under and by virtue of a general execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, dated the 17th day of June, 1935, and to me, the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, in a certain cause in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, wherein the First National Bank in St. Louis, a corporation, is plaintiff and Marshall Land & Mercantile Company, a corporation, is defendant, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, entered of record on the 12th day of June, 1935, in favor of the plaintiff and against the herein named defendant for the sum of \$82,567.91, with interest from the date of said judgment until paid at the rate of eight per cent per annum and for costs of suit;

AND, in which aforesaid general execution I am commanded that of the goods and chattels and real estate of said defendant Marshall Land & Mercantile Company, a corporation, I cause to be made the judgment, interest and costs aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS there was issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, a general execution dated the 13th day of March, A. D. 1935, and to me, the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed in a certain cause in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, wherein the First National Bank in St. Louis, a corporation, is plaintiff and Marshall Land & Mercantile Company, a corporation, is defendant, upon a certain judgment in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, entered on the 11th day of March, 1935, in favor of the plaintiff and against the Marshall Land & Mercantile Company for the sum of \$26,459.90, with interest from the date of said judgment until paid at the rate of six per cent per annum and for costs of suit, upon which execution there remains unsatisfied the principal sum of \$18,096.53, said execution having been heretofore levied on the property hereinafter described and is a prior lien to the aforesaid execution;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to the command of said general execution, aforesaid, I have levied upon and seized all of the right, title and interest of the said defendant, Marshall Land & Mercantile Company, a corporation, of, in and to the following described land and real estate lying, being and situate in the County of Scott in the State of Missouri, to-wit:

249.59 acres, the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and that part of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) north of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, and the Northwest Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Eighteen (18), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

13/100 acres, Fractional Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) north of railroad in Section Ten (10), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

80 acres, the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), subject to ditch right-of-way, and that part sold, if any, in Section Ten (10), Township Twenty-sev-

en (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

4 acres, the Southwest (SW) corner of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Eleven (11), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

40 acres, the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty (20), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty (20), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

40 acres, the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-nine (29), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

80 acres, the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Thirteen (13), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

80 acres, the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

160.64 acres, Lot One (1) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Two (2), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Thirteen (13) East;

240 acres, the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twelve (12), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Thirteen (13) East;

50/100 acre, 15 feet off the West side of the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twelve (12), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Thirteen (13) East;

320 acres, the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section Twelve (12), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Thirteen (13) East;

323.81 acres, all of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section one (1), Township Twenty-six (26), Range Fourteen (14) East;

136 acres, Lot Two (2) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Lot Two (2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Seven (7), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

40 acres, the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

35.65 acres, all that part of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), lying west of ditch, in Section Fourteen (14), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

146.28 acres, all that part of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) lying west of ditch in Section Twenty-three (23), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

240 acres, the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$ )

of the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-four (24), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

160 acres, the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-five (25), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

80 acres, the North Half (N $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

40 acres, the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

80 acres, the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ), and the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Thirty-four (34), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

431 acres, the West Three-Fourth (W $\frac{3}{4}$ ) of the North Half (N $\frac{1}{2}$ ) and that part of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) lying North of Ditch 5, and that part of the South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) lying West of Glade Ditch and North of Ditch 5 in Section Thirty-six (36), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fourteen (14) East;

492.05 acres, being the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Lot One (1) and all of Lots Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6) and Seven (7), inclusive, of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Four (4), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

287.55 acres, the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Lots Three (3) and Four (4), and all of Lots Five (5), Six (6) and Seven (7) in the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Five (5), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

53.90 acres, the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of Lots Six (6) and Seven (7), of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Five (5), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

77 acres, Lot One (1) of the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Seven (7), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range Fifteen (15) East;

And also Lots Numbered One (1), Two (2) and Three (3), in Block Three (3) in the Town of Blodgett, Scott County, Missouri;

Lots Numbered Seven (7), Eight (8) and Nine (9), in Block Eleven (11), in the Town of Blodgett, Scott County, Missouri;

Lots Numbered One (1), Two (2) and Three (3), in Block Sixteen (16), in the Town of Blodgett, Scott County, Missouri;

For the purpose of satisfying the debt, interest and costs in said general execution set out, and in obedience to the command in said general execution aforesaid;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That I will on Monday, the 12th day of August, 1935, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon and during the session of the Circuit Court within and for the County of Scott, in the State of Missouri, at the East Front Door of the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, expose for sale and sell at public vendue subject to prior lien of execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, dated the 13th day of March, A. D. 1935 and to me, the undersigned Sheriff of Scott County, Missouri, directed, in a certain cause in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, wherein the First National Bank in St. Louis, a corporation, is plaintiff and Marshall Land & Mercantile Company, a corporation, is defendant, on a judgment in said Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri entered of Record on the 11th day of March, 1935 in favor of the plaintiff and against the Marshall Land & Mercantile Company for the sum of \$26,459.90, with interest from date of said judgment until paid at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and the costs of suit, which execution was heretofore levied on the property hereinabove described and there remains unsatisfied on said execution the sum of \$18,096.53, to the highest bidder for cash in hand to satisfy the hereinabove described judgment, interest and costs of all of the right, title and interest of the hereinabove named defendant, Marshall Land & Mercantile Company, a corporation, of, in and to the hereinabove described real estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 29th day of June, A. D. 1935.

Sheriff of Scott County, Mo.  
Bryan Williams, Cave & McPheters,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

A. D. LACK IS APPOINTED METROPOLITAN MANAGER

A. D. Lack has been selected as assistant manager in charge of the Skeston office of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, B. A. Kersting said Wednesday. He will come here Monday.

During the last two years, Mr. Lack has been assistant manager at Poplar Bluff. He is well known in Skeston since before moving to Poplar Bluff he was a Metropolitan agent here for two years.

Mr. Kersting, whom Mr. Lack succeeds, will leave today for St. Louis. On Sunday he will drive to Memphis, where he has accepted a home office position with the Metropolitan.

Missouri is the "Fourth Wheat State" of the United States on a historical average.

## Personal and Society News From Oran

Miss Jessie Mason came up from Skeston Wednesday night to attend the picnic Thursday.

Miss Madge Mason was called to Skeston last week where she has employment.

The picnic given by the Catholic congregation the Fourth, was a very successful affair. Proceeds were about \$2000.

Mrs. Richards is here from Cairo for a visit with old friends. Mrs. Odda Dunning has been on the sick list the last week.

Miss Etta Douglass and a young lady friend from St. Louis came down for the Fourth and remained until Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Le Grand and two daughters and gentlemen friends came down from St. Louis for the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Alfultis and children spent the Fourth in East Prairie with relatives. They were accompanied home by Miss Helen Watson for a few days.

W. A. Maddox donated 25 fans to the Methodist church, and also some to the Baptist church for which he has the thanks of both congregations.

Several threshing outfits started last week. Neither the quantity nor quality of the wheat was above average.

Rufus Long, who is in a CCC camp is home for a few days' visit with home folks.

Dal Short and sister, Mrs. Geo. Rasmussen and daughter, left Wednesday of last for Kansas City and Rich Hill, where they will visit their mother and sister.

Ben Meyer is here from Flint, Michigan, for a visit with home folks.

Clarence Sanders came home last week from Flint, Mich., where he has been visiting his daughter and family.

Several of the boys from here were called last week to CCC camps. Others expect to go later.

There will be a sale of household goods Saturday afternoon at the P. J. Geisner home.

Work of repairing the roof of the Methodist church is expected to start this week. The property occupied by Rev. Hansford and family has been purchased for a parsonage and will be moved on the lawn east of the church. Moving is also expected to be commenced this week. The building was purchased from Leo Pfefferkorn and the buying made possible by help from others than the church membership.

Mrs. Hannah Volkert was sick last week and under the care of a physician.

The American Legion Auxiliary will hold their regular meeting at Morley Monday, July 15th at 8 P. M. All members of the American Legion Post as well as Auxiliary members are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

## Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Leming, and small daughter, Dotsie Gay, of Atlanta, Georgia, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leming.

Phillip Banks of Jonesboro, Ark., was a visitor here Monday.

Mrs. Bill Grossman spent the 4th of July vacation in Golconda, Ill., with relatives.

Miss Vinita Edwards spent last week in Piggott, Ark., with friends.

Miss Elouise Bond of Chaffee, was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Anna Blaylock, last week end.

Mrs. Viola Boone returned Monday from a visit in Jefferson City, with her son and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Boone.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spence, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Spence were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Clayton at Senath, the Fourth.

Clarence Legate and son, of Longview, Washington, are visiting his brother, Emory Legate, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Fisher and family left last Wednesday for Logansport, Ind., where they will spend their summer vacation. They were accompanied by Miss Jane Anne McIntyre, who has been visiting here several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Shelby and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Williams of Flint, Michigan, spent the 4th of July, here with their parents.

Miss Joy May Edwards of Skeston, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards this week.

Joe Patterson of Detroit, Mich., visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone, who have been in Marked Tree, Ark., for several months, returned home Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dent Tanner, July, a son, who has been christened, Dent, Jr.

The Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. Mildred Farmer last week at the home of Mrs. Ira Menees, Mrs. Juanita Dillon received high score, and Mrs. I. Menees received second high. The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Darcy Brown this week.

Loren Scagg of St. Louis, visited friends here last week.

Bobby Fisher and Norman Crumpecker, made a business trip to Pine Bluff, Ark., last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gossage of St. Louis spent the 4th here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gossage.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Robinson of Risco and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warren of Gideon were guests of Mrs. Bob Warren last week.

Doris and Joyce Comer of Skeston, spent the 4th of July here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lowe of St. Louis visited relatives here last week.

A group of people from the Baptist church of here attended a Fellowship meeting at Morley, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. K. Barnhill and two sons, of Puxico, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Addie Phillips is visiting her children Bill Phillips and Mrs. Jewell Miller at Canolou this week.

Lert Weeks of Canolou was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hart of Dexter were guests of Mrs. R. F. Vick last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Reeves and children of St. Louis spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sherrard.

Miss Alma Bremerman of Cape Girardeau was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. Laurie Pucket of Crenshaw, Miss., former teacher here, is visiting friends here this week.

Three Morehouse boys, Elvis

McNabb, Russell Sloan and David Reeves, left last Tuesday morning to join the Civilian Conservation Corps. They are located at a camp near Piedmont, Mo.

**CITY SOFTBALL LEADERS  
ARE LISTED IN SUMMARY**

These summaries of home runs, leading batters, and team rankings for members of the city softball leagues were compiled by Tharon E. Stallings, chairman of the Junior Chamber of Commerce athletic committee, which is supervising league play. They are inclusive for games played during the first seven weeks of the softball tournament, through last Friday.

**Home Runs**  
Twenty-two home runs were made by players during the first seven weeks of league games, ten by members of the American league and twelve by National players. Guards made six; Sikes, five; Legion, four; Lions, three; H. & L. two; and Buckner and Midwest one each. The only team

not represented is the Highway. Bennett, Guard, has made three; Mahew, Lions, and Walker, Legion, two each. These men have made one: R. Swaim, A. Swaim, Earls, Bowman, Stacy, Hessler, Jackson, Greer, Kindred, Hirschberg, Campbell, Kirby, Baker, Heisserer and L. Felker.

**Leading Batters**  
Sharp, V., Buckner ..... .641  
Dace, M., Highway ..... .622  
Swaim, A., Guard ..... .580  
Bowman, J., Sikes ..... .535  
Malone, B., Lions ..... .500  
Dace, R., Sikes ..... .500

**National League**  
Team ..... AB R H E BA  
Sikes ..... 301 101 109 51 .361  
Highway ..... 295 115 106 38 .359  
Lions ..... 263 73 84 51 .319  
Legion ..... 269 71 87 68 .323

W L Pct.  
Sikes ..... 5 2 .714  
Highway ..... 4 3 .571  
Lions ..... 3 4 .429  
Legion ..... 2 5 .286

**American League**  
Team ..... AB R H E BA  
H. & L. ..... 245 72 84 38 .342  
Guard ..... 268 85 97 38 .362  
Buckner ..... 257 89 99 34 .384  
Midwest ..... 231 43 52 51 .224

W L Pct.  
H. & L. ..... 5 2 .714  
Guard ..... 4 3 .571  
Buckner ..... 4 3 .571  
Midwest ..... 1 6 .143

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# Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Miss Evelyn Poe of Charleston visited friends here over the week end.

R. J. Strand left Wednesday for Terre Haute, Ind., for several weeks' visit with friends.

Harold Dickerman of St. Louis, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dickerman.

Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Humbberger of Louisville, Ky., spent the past week here looking after their farming interests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Waters and family attended an old settlers reunion at Dixon, Ill., Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and daughter Verlin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Binford, Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Carey and little son were 12 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Binford Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Mills and daughter Miss Hope spent Thursday in Cape Girardeau with relatives.

Miss Bernice Sutton visited Miss Dorothy Carey in Senath, Saturday, and was accompanied home by Miss Carey for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Morgan, Mrs. J. H. Turnage and son, W. O. were 12 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Calvin of the Crowe neighborhood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Moore and son of Moberly, arrived Sunday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Miss Glenda Waters spent Saturday in Hayti with Mrs. Sherman Hill. She was accompanied home by Miss Rachel Hill who will spend the week here with Misses Wanda Waters and Beatrice Critchlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Mainard and daughter visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Mainard, Sunday.

Misses Jean and Joyce Holmes of Charter Oak spent Sunday here with their uncle, Chas. Lumsden and family.

Miss Leola Spaulding, who has been suffering from a severe attack of chronic appendicitis is not much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sutton were Sunday dinner guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sutton at their country home.

Miss Blanch Godwin of this place, Miss Marie Byrd of LaForge and Pete and Bud Brooks of the Crowe Community enjoyed an all-day picnic at Big Springs State Park the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Harden and Mr. and Mrs. Lem Hulseley motored to Catron Sunday where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harden.

Mrs. Lynn Finley and baby daughter are in McMullin this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Finley.

Noble and Gwendolyn Cole returned Sunday from Harrisburg, Ill., where they have been the past few weeks.

# The SNAPSHOT GUILD

CLOUD PICTURES



Clouds add much to the beauty of the sky. Include them in every picture. It's easy to do.

It seems that too often we forget all about the fleecy white clouds, which add so much to the attractiveness and beauty of a snapshot. The average amateur will put forth great effort to secure sharpness, contrast and good composition in his ground subject and then completely overlook the possibilities of beautiful cloud effects.

One thing that really adds to the interest in a landscape picture is clouds. Suppose we are taking such a picture and use a film which responds only to ultra-violet, violet, and blue light. We should not be able to distinguish between the clouds and sky if we give enough exposure to show detail in the landscape. This is because the light from the blue sky and the white clouds is very rich in light rays to which the film responds.

Although clouds and blue sky are both rich in ultra-violet, violet and blue, there is a marked difference between the two. The lights from the clouds, being white, actually contain, however, a lot of green and red light, while that from the blue sky does not.

This then, suggests a way to effectively show clouds and sky in a snapshot. We must use a film which will respond to green, or to green and red light, and put over the lens a filter which does not let through the ultra-violet, violet and blue. The green or green and red light from the clouds will thus affect the film, while practically no light from the sky will get through to it, and in the finished print, the clouds will appear whiter than the sky.

Some film is sensitive to green light only but super-sensitive pan-

chromatic film will respond to both green and red light. All these films will, therefore, show up the clouds against the sky if used with a yellow filter.

From time to time you have perhaps heard of "filter factors". Here's what it means. Since the filter cuts out some of the light which would otherwise affect the film, a longer exposure must be given. The amount by which the exposure must be increased is known as the "factor" of the filter. It is noted by the number of times the exposure must be increased when using a color filter, as compared with the exposure without one.

The deeper the yellow color in the filter the more violet and blue it removes, or "holds back". The greater the "factor" the more the exposure must be increased.

As you will no doubt surmise, there are various types of filters and each type has its limitations. In choosing a filter you must make your own decision based on your general requirements.

If you do not want to seriously consider filter "factors" there is a filter known as a Sky Filter used extensively by amateurs to photograph clouds in a landscape with no increase in exposure time. Half of this filter is yellow and the other half clear. This filter can be used without increasing the exposure because the sky is photographed through the yellow part while the landscape, or general subject is photographed through the lower half, which is not colored. Yes, you can even get clouds with a silver lining.

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particular emphasis on demonstrating the use values of the Norge Rollator Refrigerator, because we find this to be the appliance desired by most women. We have proved to our audience that it actually costs more to be without a Norge and that it will actually pay for itself through economies it effects. An electric refrigerator is no longer a luxury — it's a necessity, particularly now when food prices are soaring, and from governmental reports, will continue to soar. These rising food prices can be offset through quantity buying at week-end sale prices, use of left overs that are now wasted, and elimination of food spoilage, contributing real saving with no drain on the family pocketbook," said Mr. O'Reilly.

Miss Elsa Bradley home economist, conducted the lecture demonstrations and prepared delicious frozen desserts and other recipes requiring refrigeration. An entertaining film short starring Beverly Bayne, entitled "Norging Ahead Together", a humorous film depicting the use values of home appliances, climaxed the afternoon entertainment.

## SEMO NEGROES SENT TO BUTLER CO. CCC CAMP

Forty-four negro men, including four from Scott county, were sent Thursday to a Butler county CCC camp situated on Highway 67 between Poplar Bluff and Hendricks.

Ten of the recruits were from New Madrid county; ten from Mississippi; twelve from Pemiscot; and four each from Stoddard and Butler. A large group will be sent soon from St. Louis.

Twelve men have been at the camp, preparing it for accommodation of 204 negroes, the full camp quota. The camp was located in Butler county after Hayti residents protested a proposal to set it up near their town. Building contracts are completed and a well 631 feet deep has been dug.

Four negro CCC camps will be located in Missouri. Two are already in operation, one at Liberty and a second at DeSoto. The fourth is expected to be located at Delta, according to camp officers.

## NOW SIGNING CONTRACTS

A Million Corn-Hog Producers Sign AAA Agreements

More than a million 1935 corn-hog contracts, involving rental and benefit payments of \$186,000,000, are now in preparation or readiness for the final signatures of producers who have previously signed applications for contracts under the AAA planned

production program. Missouri is third among the corn-hog states in number of contracts, according to County Agent Broom, with approximately 93,000 signers.

State reports covering the entire country up to June 10 indicate that 1,032,500 contracts are either ready or nearly ready for the final signatures. These agreements cover base acreage of corn land amounting to 53,780,000 acres and indicate that nearly 12,000,000 acres will be withheld from corn production under this year's contracts. This represents slightly more than 22 per cent of the signers' total annual corn acreage for the base years.

Through the minimum reduction required in corn acreage adjustment is only 10 per cent as compared with 20 per cent last year, cooperating farmers are holding nearly the same amount of corn out of production this year because of the great decrease in livestock number and because of a desire for ample crop insurance.

According to the preliminary reports the number of hogs on which benefit payments will be made under the 1935 program total about 4,800,000 head. This number represents the total adjustment of the contract signers, each of whom pledged to hold his 1935 market hog production 10 per cent under his 1932-33 average. The signers' total hog adjustment under contract represents less than 7 per cent of the annual hog production in the United States in 1932 and 1933, as compared with nearly 20 per cent last year when contracting farmers were asked to reduce their market hog production by 25 per cent.

Present indications are that disbursement of first payment checks amounting to about \$84,850,000 will get under way by the middle of July, representing \$7.50 per head on the adjustment of 10 per cent in hog production and 15 cents per bushel on the production estimated for the acreage retired from corn production.

The second and final payment due under the 1935 contract and totalling approximately \$101,133,000 is to be sent to cooperating farmers as soon after January 1, 1936, as possible.

This installment will cover the balance of \$7.50 per head in the hog adjustment and 20 cents per bushel of corn—less the pro-rata share of the local administrative expenses.

Dr. D. E. Beck, biology professor at Brigham Young University Provo, Utah, has a most unusual white rat in his laboratory. In recent combats it has killed two rattlesnakes, a red racer and a bull lizard and is apparently immune from any venom.

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# Personal And Society Items From Vanduser

Mrs. Frank Greer and Bob Gobers family motored to Dexter Sunday to visit relatives and friends.

M. C. Chaney of Morley is spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Oscar Mize.

Mrs. Whitt Moody's daughter, and family of Parma spent the day with her Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Duncan who has been confined to her bed on account of sickness is able to be up again.

Beatrice Mize is spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Glendon Stafford near Commerce. She is better known as Bernice Mize. Bonnie Hough of East Prairie is visiting her sister Mrs. Ollie Lewis and family.

Angie Woodward is home again after having several weeks' employment at Morley.

Mrs. Woodrow Meauers is visiting her mother Mrs. Kenser at Jay Ridge at this writing.

## ACQUITTED OF MURDER CHARGE AT CHARLESTON

Mrs. Ward DeField was freed

of a murder charge Tuesday by a Mississippi county circuit court jury.

It was not immediately decided if the state would drop a felonious assault charge, also filed when one bullet fired at Mrs. Rosie Rummel, the woman Mrs. DeField was accused of killing, struck and wounded Mrs. Ed Barks, formerly Miss Myrtle Layton, a sister of Mrs. Rummel. Mrs. Barks later recovered.

Mrs. DeFields was represented by Senator J. C. McDowell and his partner, Marshall Craig, who pled at the trial that Mrs. DeField had temporarily lost her faculties because of gossip that connected

Mrs. Rummel's name with her husband's. Twelve witnesses testified concerning Mrs. DeField's good character, while six told of the shooting which occurred in downtown Charleston in 1932.

## Cotton Acreage Increases

Missouri cotton acreage is 2 per cent above that of last year, according to T. F. McDonough, associate agricultural statistician of the United States bureau of agricultural economics. The 1935 average is 325,000 while last July it was 319,000.

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## COTTON PAYMENTS IN Southeast Missouri Growers Get Half Million Dollars

New Madrid county growers who are cooperating in the AAA have received to date a total of \$88,512.86 in first installment checks on their 1935 rental payments, according to County Agent Leslie Broom. The total amount of first payment checks received in Missouri thus far is \$516,733.40 to which will soon be added the first payments on 1171 delayed contracts, most of which were submitted to Washington within the last two weeks.

The payments received thus far have been distributed to producers on 6760 cotton farms in twelve counties as follows:

Pemiscot, 1611 contracts, \$211,189.22.  
Dunklin, 2053 contracts, \$139,492.98.  
Stoddard, 698 contracts, \$22,249.62.  
New Madrid, 1049 contracts, \$88,512.86.  
Scott, 281 contracts, \$13,560.05.  
Mississippi, 299 contracts, \$23,97.36.  
Butler, 412 contracts, \$12,544.62.  
Ripley 153 contracts, \$2,703.93.  
Oregon, 87 contracts, \$1,129.98.  
Howell, 38 contracts, \$435.56.  
Ozark, 73 contracts, \$779.17.  
Taney, 6 contracts, \$151.05.  
These payments constitute less

than half of the total amount of rental and parity payments accruing to contract signers during 1935. Payments yet to be received include approximately \$100,000.00 in first payment on new contracts, about \$500,000 in second payments, and last of all the parity payments amounting to 1 1-4 cents a pound on 40 per cent of the five-year average production on each contract signer's farm.

The second payments will be made about October 1, and the parity payments shortly thereafter.

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"This Home Service School was an outstanding success, and we are highly elated over the response local women have contributed to this expression of our good will," said Mr. O'Reilly.

## HOME SERVICE SCHOOL DRAWS LARGE ATTENDANCE

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**FOR SALE**—Yellow Jersey Milk Cow, 5 years old. Foster's Store, Miner.

**FOR SALE**—Complete 6-room furnishings, including imported needpoint living room furniture, at sacrifice prices. 820 North Kingshighway, Phone 769, 11-82.

**FOR SALE**—Red sugar plums, 15c per gallon. Lena Matthews, 211 Greer, Phone 216, 31-81.

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**FOR RENT**—Modern Apartment, Phone 404, 11-82.

**WANTED TO RENT**—4 or 5-room house, or 4-room apartment. J. H. Green, Standard office.

**FOR RENT**—Modern furnished three-room apartment. Phone 7, 21-81.

**FOR RENT**—2-room, modern furnished apartment. Phone 360, Mrs. A. E. Shankle, 11-82.

**FOR RENT**—2 furnished rooms 414 Prosperity street, 11-82.

**LOST**—Billfold containing several cards. Finder return to Arthur Armstrong, 1039 N. Water St., Milwaukee, Wis., and receive \$5 reward, 21-82p.

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## Personal News of Sikeston

by Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

The Russell-Bradley Missionary Society held its regular monthly meeting at the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, with 26 present. At this time a campaign was put on for enrolled members. Five new members were enrolled, namely: Mesdames Mow, Heath, Putnam, Renner and Cummins. The next month's meeting will also be held at the church.

Mary Ford went to St. Louis, Wednesday, for a visit with relatives.

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Mrs. Tom Meyer, Mrs. Elvise Albers and daughter, Kitty, spent the Fourth at Osceola, Ark., visiting with their daughter and mother, Mrs. Jesse Cramer.

Betty Lou Blue returned to her home at Ava, Ill., last Friday, after visiting here for four weeks with her aunt, Mrs. L. F. Hatfield, and family. Jim Hatfield, who spent the Fourth here with his parents, returned to St. Louis, Friday, taking Betty Lou to her home.

Catholic ladies' fried chicken supper, at 6 p. m., Wednesday, July 17.

Mrs. Helen Wagner and Anna Ellen Felker entertained their Sunday school class on Wednesday evening at the former's home on Matthews avenue. Games were played, with prizes being awarded. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Wagner being assisted by Mrs. Luther Felker. Mrs. Lyman Mitchell, teacher of the class, and the following visitors were also present: Miss Grace Davis, St. Louis; Irma Laura Gray, St. James; Alma Marie and Virginia Phelps and Challa Rabb.

Everybody will be welcome at the fried chicken supper which the Catholic ladies will serve at the parish hall Wednesday evening, July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Page were visitors in Fulton, Ky., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark returned to their home in St. Louis, last Saturday, after visiting here last week with their son, Art Clark, and family. Janet Ann Clark, their granddaughter, accompanied them home for a visit of several weeks.

Mrs. Lilly Halter will entertain the Radio club on Monday night at her home, 117 North Handy street. All members of the club are asked to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cowan and daughter, Mary Jane, of Dexter, spent Tuesday here at the L. F. Hatfield home. Margaret Ann Hatfield accompanied them home for a week's visit with Mary Jane.

The following members from the First Baptist church attended the Associational W. M. U. meeting held at New Bethel on Tuesday. Rev. and Mrs. Verne Oglesby, Mrs. D. A. Reece, Mrs. Artie Robinson, Mrs. Mack Higgins, Mrs. Paul Higgins, Mrs. A. B. Moll, Mrs. J. H. Hayden, Sr., and Mrs. Joe Mathis.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Baker spent Sunday at the Washout.

Plan to attend the Catholic ladies' fried chicken supper at the parish hall at 6 o'clock Wednesday, July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Matthews and Mrs. Glen Ashworth of St. Louis expect to leave Sunday for Baltimore, Md., to visit with the ladies sister, Mrs. Edward D. Taylor, Jr. They expect to be away for two weeks, visiting different Eastern cities.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Burns and

sons returned to their home in this city, Wednesday night. They had been at Cape Girardeau the past five weeks, where Mr. Burns had been a patient for 3 weeks at the Southeast Missouri hospital, suffering from acute malaria. The past two weeks, Mr. Burns had visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Burns and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Daugherty, parents of Mrs. Burns. Mr. Burns and sons remained in the Cape during his stay getting along nicely and expects to be able to be out next illness. Mr. Burns is now reported well.

The Catholic ladies will offer residents a fried chicken supper at the parish hall at 6 o'clock Wednesday, July 17.

F. E. Mount received a card from Mrs. Mount on Monday, which stated they were at Juarez, Old Mexico. Mrs. Mount, daughter, Miss Lucille, and Miss Electa O'Hara, with Mrs. Chas. Yanson, children, Miss Nell and Charles, and Miss Ruth Bateman, will visit at Los Angeles, with Mrs. W. H. Thomas, Mrs. Janie Keeling and other friends. They expect to be away for five weeks, visiting other cities in California, to Seattle, Washington, Denver, Colorado, and Yellowstone Park.

Larry Hatfield, Jr., of St. Louis spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hatfield.

Mrs. Frank F. Converse arrived home a few days ago after spending several weeks in the western cities. She reports a wonderful time and the weather ideal. On her return home she visited the exposition at San Diego, Calif. The setting is most marvelous in famed Balboa Park's enchanting forest. Miss Nellie Goodman remained with her sister, Mrs. Ann Calvert at Long Beach, Calif.

You may eat a fried chicken supper served by the Catholic ladies at the parish hall Wednesday evening, July 17.

On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Edward Kindred entertained with a party for her son, Jimmie, who that day celebrated his fifth birthday. Games were played, after which refreshments of sherberts, vanilla wafers and strawberry drinks were served. Mrs. Kindred was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Velma Boardman, Mrs. Paul Chaney, Mrs. Ernest Cox and Miss Maud Adams. Those present to help Jimmie celebrate the occasion were: Tommie Boardman, Paul Edward Chaney, Buddy Seabaugh, Wanda Gale Seabaugh, Jerry Wayne Cox, Bob Husher, Betty Husher, Jimmie Terrell, Billie Terrell, Bill Sadler, Billie Ray Pratt, Gene Ray Bryzeal and Buddy Byrzeal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Edwards and children, Hope and Billie, visited with Mrs. Edwards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bennett, at Bloomfield, Sunday.

Miss Suzanne Corrigan and Miss Martha Davis of Poplar Bluff spent the week-end here visiting with the former's grandmother, Mrs. Betty Matthews.

Mrs. T. P. Scherer surprised her daughter Mildred with a party on her eleventh birthday, on Wednesday, July 10th, the following little Misses were present: Mary Kathryn Steis, Maxine Pratt, Harrietta Lewis, Mary Ann Freward, Mary Helen Trousdale, Geneva Schwab, Bonnie Beil Schaffer, Bizzell, Norma and Maxine Bailey and Mary Elizabeth Frey. Ice cream and cake was served, all the little girls had an enjoyable evening.

An associated Mission study institute will be held at the First Baptist church on next Tuesday, beginning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. S. E. Ewing of St. Louis and Mrs. Post of Bismark will be teachers in the meeting. Mrs. Ewing is chairman of Orphan's Home and State Mission study chairman, while Mrs. Post is chairman of Baptist Woman's League of Missouri. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. It is hoped that a large number from the local church will take the study course.

Miss Elaine Draper returned to her home in St. Louis, yesterday (Thursday) after visiting here several weeks at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Orear.

Mrs. Milburn Arbaugh and son, Joe, returned home from Flat River, Sunday, where they had visited for two weeks with Mrs. Arbaugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sellards.

Amelia Nickles, 28, of St. James, Mo., preacher at a church in Hill City, S. D., dropped dead during services after fasting for two weeks. She had declared she would not eat "until the Lord tells me to." She had also predicted that when she died she would return to life.

A new park road leading from the playground to State Highway No. 21 is being built by CCC workers at Washington State Park 10 miles southwest of De Soto, Missouri. Other improvements in the park include trailside improvement and a new service building. The park contains 694 acres and is heavily timbered.

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### CAPE MAN FINED FOR VIOLATING ROAD LAWS

John Stehl, a driver for the Gordon-Ingram Piling Company of Cape Girardeau, was fined \$7.50 and costs Thursday morning when he pled guilty in Judge William S. Smith's court to committing a misdemeanor July 1.

Stehl was arrested on Highway 60 by Harry E. Dudley and charged with operating "a motor vehicle upon the highways of this state which, including load, was greater than 96 inches in width and greater than 40 feet in length and which vehicle was not temporarily transporting agricultural implements or road making machinery or road materials or towing a disabled car and without a temporary special permit issued by the state highway commission." Stehl has been arrested before for the same offense.

Two cases were continued in Judge Smith's court. Tom Sailors is charged with operating a truck without a PSC permit. A hearing for Sailors, who holds a Scott County Milling Company contract for hauling, was set for July 25. C. F. Hamilton a driver for the Arkansas Wholesale Company at Jonesboro, is charged with exceeding the net weight on his trailer license. The case is set for next Thursday.

In Judge Joseph W. Myers' court a case against Everett Walker for driving without a PSC permit was also continued. Walker, a driver for W. R. Daniels, was arrested on Highway 61 June 20. He has been free on a \$200 bond.

### SOFTBALL SCORES

Wednesday, July 10

Cairo Junior C. of C., 14; Sikeston Junior C. of C., 6.  
Highway, 15; Sikes, 10.

Miss Freda Lankford entertained Wednesday evening at a six o'clock dinner in honor of her cousin, Miss Geraldine Paschal of Soud Heiner, La. Other guests were Misses Helen Johnson, Mary Ethel Smith, Lillian Belle Taylor, Mildred Williams, Vernetta Smith and Mrs. Paul Higgins.

**City Hall Being Remodeled**  
Workmen this week are constructing new partitions on the second floor of the city hall to convert space into additional private offices for district relief and WPA officials.

The ultimate in audacious theft has been disclosed in Chicago. When Municipal Judge Michael G. Kasper went out to lunch he hung his new black silk robe on a peg in his chambers. When he returned it was gone.

Reclamation of fish stranded in drying water holes and ditches in Pemiscot County is being conducted this week by state game wardens, assisted by leading sportsmen of that county. Already some 35,000 fish of various edible varieties have been rescued and placed in streams in which water flows the year round.

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### 2 FARMERS WHO STOLE FLOUR FINED \$10 EACH

Bill Johnson and James Harbison were each fined \$10 and costs when they pled guilty in Judge Joseph W. Myers' court Thursday morning to stealing 150 pounds of flour from the H. & H. grocery Saturday afternoon.

Johnson is the man who was arrested at the air port July 4 after breaking from officers three times. The following morning he was fined a total of \$30. His wife died week before last.

At Thursday's hearing, Johnson was given until Saturday to secure his fine and costs. He was represented by M. G. Gresham, while Harbison, who paid part of his fine and was granted sixty days to secure the remainder, was represented by Robert A. Dempster. Johnson lives on a farm near Tanner. Harbison is a resident of the old John E. Marshall farm about four miles north of here.

Johnson was caught Saturday after he had partly succeeded in a bold attempt to empty the H. & H. warehouse of flour. While Mr.

and Mrs. Robert D. Mow and grocery employees were busy waiting on customers Saturday afternoon, Johnson entered the store hurriedly, and trying to break through groups of people ran into Mrs. Mow. He apologized briefly then rushed to the rear of the store, where groceries are stored and where a lavatory is located.

Soon afterward a negro store employee came to ask Mrs. Mow if she had sold any flour to a young man. Yes, she told him, but the flour was still in the front part of the store. The negro then told Mrs. Mow that he had seen a man carry two sacks of flour out the back door.

Within five minutes, a young man appeared at the desk where Mr. Mow was sitting in the grocery and asked if he might use the bath room. Noticing him, Mrs. Mow said, Why, your're the young man who almost knocked me down. Employees then said the man, later identified as Johnson, was the one who left with flour.

Vehemently Johnson denied taking the flour, saying, you know me and my father, but traces of

flour on his ears and shoulders betrayed him. While Mrs. Mow called an officer Mr. Mow with difficulty held Johnson in the rear room.

Johnson was arrested by Night Marshal Gid Daniels, who turned him over to Constable W. O. Ellis. Not long afterward, on Johnson's testimony, Ellis arrested Harbison at the latter's home. Harbison at first admitted he had taken the flour, buying it and storing it at the Welter Bake Shop, but denied he knew it was stolen.

During the afternoon Johnson and his companion had managed to escape with at least two 48-pound bags of flour and two 24-pound bags. The Mows are not certain if additional sacks were stolen.

Johnson and Harbison were kept in jail at Benton from Saturday night until yesterday morning.

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### LANDERS RIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence York and daughter of Miner spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fletcher and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Giske and family who live near Cana-lou.

Randolph Kem spent Sunday with Norville Bohannon.

Mrs. Gray and daughter Mon-tell and Myoma, Mildred Loma; and Edwyna Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lomax and children spent Sunday near Sikeston visiting with the latter's mother, Mrs. Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Croson and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. John Croson and daughters, shopped in Morehouse Saturday evening.

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